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FIFTY-FIRST YEAR | McKINNEY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUG. 2, 1934.—12 PAGES IN TWO SECTIONS.—SECTION ONE. | ESTABLISHED FEBRUARY 7, 1884.

NORTH HALF OF HIGHWAY 6-75 TO BE REBUILT

TOTAL 901,354 VOTES ACCOUNTED FOR IN PRIMARY

Election tabulations show a total of 901,354 votes counted in the contest for governor. This is on a basis of returns from 252 counties, including 176 complete.

Attorney General James V. Allred slightly increased his lead over Tom Hunter, who will be his opponent in the run-off, in the gubernatorial contest. The vote for governor to date is as follows: Allred 269,470, Hughes 51,248, Hunter 219,354, McDonald 189,001, Russell 4,173, Small 111,510, Witt 56,598.

Attorney General—McCraw 312,967, Smith 172,766. Woodward 319,250.

Rail Commissioner.—Hatcher 169,180, McNees 65,865, Johnson 121,563, Pundt 200,868, Smith 297,647.

BAPTIST WOMEN'S FEDERATION MEETS NEXT ON OCT. 19

Mrs. Elmo Cloyd, president of the Baptist Women's Federation of McKinney, called the regular fifth Monday meeting to order at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon in the North Baptist church.

The musical director, Mrs. Weldon Wheatley, led in singing the opening hymns, Miss Beatrice Jackson, piano accompanist. Mrs. R. L. Ray read choice selections on Thanksgiving from the Psalms for the devotional. Mrs. T. A. Parris voiced the prayer.

Minutes were read by Mrs. W. S. Commons, the secretary, after which reports from the three Baptist churches of the city, on the divine services held at the county farm on Sunday afternoons, were heard.

The young people of the First Baptist church, led by Mrs. Hubert White and Miss Frankie Oates, accompanist at the piano, presented an interesting historical pageant on "Our Baylors," the two oldest Baptist schools of Texas. The pageant was greatly enjoyed by the fifty women present.

The nominating committee, Mesdames H. C. Pope, I. H. Younger and T. F. Price, presented the following names for officers of the Federation from October 1 to September 30, 1935: Mrs. Van Wood, president; Mrs. W. S. Commons, first vice; Miss Frankie Oates, second vice; Mrs. Wilbur Kindall, third vice; Mrs. Elmo Cloyd, recording secretary; Mrs. H. C. Pope, corresponding secretary and treasuer. The report of the committee was accepted and adopted unanimously.

The guests were invited into the church parlors where delicious punch and cake were served and a social hour enjoyed. Mrs. F. G. Wheatley was chairman of the hostess church for the meeting.

The Federation will meet October 29 with the First church.

Mrs. John Welch of this city and daughter, Mrs. Harry Boyer of Houston were guests, Mrs. Boyer making a short talk at the meeting.

Hon. Jewell Abernathy, prominent local attorney, who has been confined to his home for several months because of illness, is holding his own and showing improvement, which will be good news to his many firends.

Our life-long friend, J. H. L. C. English of Dallas dropped in to see us Wednesday. Lived in this county many years, prior to moving to Dallas some fifteen years ago from Celina. The Good Lord never made a better man than J. H. L. C. English.

County Farm Agent Jack P. McCullough and Miss Helen Dunlap, county home demonstration club agent, are in College Station, attending the annual Texas A. & M. Short course. They are accompanied by a number of the boys and girls club workers of the county and also by several home demonstration club women from over the county. The A. & M. Short course is an annual event, attended by hundreds from over the state. Collin county is always well represented.

Mrs. W. T. Hodges has returned to her home in Sherman after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Ida Potter, in this city.

Weather

TEMPERATURE

102 degrees at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday.

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DR. H. GREGORY GOULD, M'KINNEY EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT, SPECIALIST, DIES AT HOME HERE TUESDAY NIGHT

PRACTICED HERE FOR 18 YEARS—WAS HIGHLY EDUCATED AND WIDELY TRAVELED OVER THE GLOBE—KNIGHT TEMPLAR AND SHRINER —A CONGREGATIONALIST IN CREED—BURIAL IN FORT WORTH WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Dr. H. Gregory Gould, for eighteen years a practicing physician of McKinney, died at 10:00 o'clock last Tuesday night, July 31, at his home, 501 South Tennessee street, after an illness dating from last November and being bedfast during the last six weeks of his life.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon in the chapel of the Harris Funeral home conducted by Rev. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the Methodist church, at Trenton, but formerly pastor for three years of the South Wilcox Street Methodist church, this city, and a neighbor, and patient of the doctor.

Interment took place this evening in Mount Olive cemetery, Fort Worth, where the remains were conveyed after the funeral by the C. C. Harris Funeral car.

Active pallbearers: Walter Cockrell, Jesse Coffey, Dr. W. A. Green, Sam Horton, Gabe Kerby and Roy Caldwell.

The deceased was born at Fort Wayne, Indiana, July 4, 1864, being 70 years and 27 days old at the time of his death. His father was a Pennsylvania oil man.

He received his public school education at Fort Wayne, Indiana, and also received his academic or college training in the university of that state.

He was educated for the medical profession in several leading medical colleges and took his interneship in John Hopkins hospital, at Baltimore, Maryland.

He was a widely traveled man, beginning in his boyhood, by making voyages with an uncle who was a sea captain.

He was a skilled chemist as well as a medical man and spent considerable time in Alaskan gold fields, the Klondike and traveled in various other parts of the world.

He practiced his professoin at Medicine Lodge, Kansas; in St. Louis, in the states of Colorado and Nevada and one year at Dallas before coming to McKinney eighteen years ago.

During the latter years of his life, he limited his practice to the eye, ear, nose and throat specialty.

He was a Knight Templar Mason and Shriner and a Congregationalist in religious belief.

He was a man of the brightest and most highly cultured intellect a very interesting conversationalist and profoundly informed on a wide range of human knowledge gained by study, travel and from actual experience.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Ann Jordan of St. Louis, whom he married in that city, thirty-five years ago.

This devoted helpmeet and faithful wife has the sympathy of many friends throughout this city and county in their bereavement as well as numerous friends at points where they formerly lived.

Mrs. Gould's sister, Mrs. M. J. Bierkamp of Bewick and Henderson, Fort Worth, has been staying in recent weeks with Dr. Gould and wife and was with the latter at the time of the death of her beloved husband.

FRANK STILLEY, FORMER LOCAL RESIDENT, DIES

Frank Stilley, 64, traveling salesman for the Ball Fruit Jar Co., with headquarters at his home, Sulphur Springs, died while en route from that city to McKinney, Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock. He was stricken while on his way here with his wife, dying in Campbell, Hunt county. Mr. Stilley had resided for sometime in McKinney several months ago when he was connected with the local Civil Works Administration office, here.

He was well known to a number of our citizenship who will be saddened to learn of his sudden death. The deceased is survived by his wife who was formerly Miss Susie Ashcroft of Sulphur Springs; one son, John C. Stilley, Fort Worth, and one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Duckworth of Meridian, Mississippi.

SIMPLE RITES MARK SERVICES FOR FILM STAR

The final scene in the life drama of filmdom's ugly duckling was recorded Tuesday. Funeral services as simple as the life she followed were said for Marie Dressler before a small gathering at Glendale, Calif.

Film stars and waitresses, cameramen and executives as well as friends from outside the business where she made her great success late in life gathered at the Wee Kirk o'the Heather in Forest Lawn cemetery to pay their last respects to the screen star.

In the cubicle of the church were only the closest friends of the actress. They included James and Mamie Cox, her colored servants; May Robson, a veteran trouper; Norma Shearer, Frances Marion, one a protege of Miss Dressler, and other close friends who knew her affectionately as the Ugly Duckling.

Fewer than 100 others, including Polly Moran, Jean Hersholt and Lionel Barrymore, who have worked in pictures with Miss Dressler, were in the chapel proper. A hundred chairs had been placed outside the church, but none was occupied.

A loud speaker carried to the outside the voices of the Rev. Neal Dodd, Episcopalian minister who read the service, and of Jennette MacDonald, concert and screen star, who sang "Face to Face" and "Abide With Me."

Jan Neathery was over from Farmersville, greeting his many friends. He is a former county treasurer and tax collector, and no man has more friends in McKinney or Collin county than Jan Neathery. [illegible]

TIME IS SHORT FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS

M. E. Patterson, assistant in Cotton Adjustment in County Farm Agent Jack P. McCullough's office, in conjunction with Agent McCullough and the County Committeemen, including W. M. Gibson, E. H. Bush and Frank S. Waters, have been advised that the time will be short for the taking of applications for Bankhead allotments, and that every party, who expects to gin any cotton Tax Free should make their application at their very earliest convenience, as there will be a final date for these, which will be soon.

They declare that all tenants and landlords should see that this application is made, and when they are asked to appear for making application, that they do so without delay, to the place and party designated in the letter. All those having 1934-35 contracts will have to make application and will be mailed a letter, but those who do not have a contract will appear at their Community Committeeman's headquarters, in their community.

This is very important for those not making an application before the final date will not be able to gin any cotton tax free. This applies to everyone who is growing any cotton, or is interested in the growing of same as landlord, and even though it may be a very small tract of ground, they should make this application at once, furnishing information for all years from 1928 to 1932, bales, acres etc., and 1933 and 1934, if not in cotton during the base years, 1928 to 1932.

Louis Brown has leased the J. McCarty Dowell building on South Tennessee street which has been nicely repainted and fixed up, and will move his hat cleaning business into same.

Hamp Wysong, popular Melissa banker, attended the open house held Saturday night by the Central National bank of McKinney, which had just been changed from a state to a national bank by authorization of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, [illegible]

ABSENTEE VOTING WILL BEGIN ON MONDAY, AUG. 6

With the completion of the first Democratic primary of 1934, ending in the election Saturday, July 28, Collin county voters are urged to keep in mind several important dates during the second or run-off primary.

The first step will be the absentee voting, which commences on Monday, August 5. Absentee voting in person ends on August 22, and by mail on August 23. On that date, ballots cast by absentee voters will be assembled and mailed by County Clerk Mrs. Pearl Strother to the presiding judge of each voting box.

The county conventions of both the Democratic and Republican parties will be held here Saturday, August 4.

The expense account for the first primary must be filed by August 7, Ed Blakeman, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee, announces.

The State Executive committee meets on August 11 to canvass returns for all state and district offices and to prepare the ballot for the second primary.

August 13 will be the first day to file expense statements for the second primary.

August 17 is the last date to file the second expense accounts for the run-off primary.

August 25 is election day for the run-off primary.

NOTED JERSEY BREEDER AND SON VISIT M'KINNEY

Harry Marsh, one of the most widely known registered Jersey cattle breeders of the South, was in McKinney, Thursday, from Denton where he lately located.

Up until that time he spent three years looking after the big Shelby County Penal Farm up-to-date Jersey herd at Memphis, Tennessee. The herd's sire of the Penal Farm's Jerseys was Estella's Volunteer, which animal was the sire of Brampton Basilua, the highest producing Jersey cow in the world.

Prior to going to Memphis, Mr. Marsh was field man for a good many years of the American Jersey Cattle club in eleven states but in that capacity visited herds in thirty-five different states of the union.

Mr. Marsh was accompanied by his sixteen-year-old son, Bob, who is president of the Future Farmers organization of Tennessee for the year 1934. This youngster is a fine specimen of physical young manhood, being six feet tall and well proportioned. He proudly wears a vocational agriculture state planter key, the highest award that the Future Farmers can receive in their state organization.

WOODCHOPPERS PLAY GUNTER HERE FRIDAY

Although no game will be played by the McKinney Woodchoppers at Walker park tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon as originally scheduled, according to announcement by President Claude Neely of the club, the Choppers will play a regular scheduled double-header with Gunter here on Friday afternoon, August 3, at the local park.

McKinney and Gunter clubs are old rivals and have played some spirited games this year. The Choppers, in fourth place, are fresh from a victory over the Van Alstyne Grays, league leaders and 1933 champions, which they won at Van Alstyne Monday afternoon. A good game is expected.

Kirby Garrett of Dallas has returned to that city after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garrett.

Tom Anderson, who has been living on a farm near Van Alstyne for three or four years, mingled with numerous McKinney friends on our streets Saturday.

Prof. John W. Akin, superintendent of schools at Wylie, mingled among his many friends in the big election returns party viewing the results of Saturday's Democratic primary as shown on the big election bulletin board of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and Daily Courier-Gazette in this city Saturday night.

DR. JOE W. LARGENT, M'KINNEY PHYSICIAN FOR HALF CENTURY, DIES SUDDENLY OF HEART ATTACK

NATIVE OF FARMERSVILLE, IN EAST COLLIN; ACTIVE MEMBER FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH AND I. O. O. F. FRATERNAL ORDER; ACTIVE IN ALL QUESTIONS HAVING MORAL BEARING ON HIS HOME TOWN AND COUNTY.

Dies Suddenly

DR. JOE W. LARGENT.

Dr. Joe W. Largent, 72 years 5 months and 17 days old, passed away at his home, 402 West Virginia street last Tuesday night shortly after 11 o'clock from a heart attack.

For the past year or two this veteran McKinney physician had been occasionally suffering from these attacks of the heart, having suffered one Monday. However, he was thought to be on the road to recovery when stricken again suddenly about 11 p. m. Tuesday, as above stated, his death being almost instantaneous.

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Born in Farmersville.

Joseph William Largent was born in Farmersville February 14, 1862, the son of the late Isaac and Emma (Kincaid) Largent, who were natives of North Carolina. He moved with his parents to McKinney at the age of 7 years. He received his elementary schooling in this city, attending the school of the late Eld. J. S. Muse. Later he entered the Savoy college at Whitewright, from which he graduated. He next entered the Louisville, Ky., Medical college, in which school he received highest honors.

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Began Practice in Arizona.

Following the completion of his education, he began the practice of medicine at Globe, Ariz., where he continued for six years. It was while a resident of that Arizona city that he met Miss Nora Collins, daughter of a Christian minister in that city, the young couple moving to McKinney where he had since resided. Three children were born to this marriage, all of whom survive, as follows: Ed J. Largent of Oklahoma City; J. W. Largent Jr., of Dallas and Mrs. Hugh Hynds of Waco. Mrs. Largent died September 23, 1901 and is buried in Pecan Grove cemetery.

Several years later Dr. Largent was married to Miss Willa Griffin of this city, who survives. One son, Tom Largent, 17, also survives this marriage.

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In Practice Half Century.

Few residents of Collin county have lived as busy and as useful lives as had the deceased. For more than fifty years he was engaged in the practice of medicine and for many years was regarded not only as one of the outstanding surgeons and physicians of McKinney, but of this section of the state as well. He helped organize the State Medical association and during his lifetime had held practically every chair in that important state-wide organization, including the presidency. He was also active in the Collin County Medical society and had likewise held the presidency in that organization.

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His Professional Associates.

During his early carreer in the practice of medicine, the deceased was associated with Drs. J. C. Erwin Sr. and J. E. Gibson and later with Dr. Joe Becton now of Greenville. He was active in every question of a moral nature in his home town and county, and residents of McKinney, especially those more mature in age, will remember his activity in the cause of prohibition before the saloon was driven from the county. The deceased, along with other workers in that moral issue, toured the county making speech after speech in its behalf. He had been a lifelong member of the Christian church and since his residence in McKinney, held his membership in the First Christian church in this city. He had long been a member of the Odd Fellows lodge of this city.

The deceased, during his lifetime, was active in other business interests outside his own chosen profession, being associated for sometime with his brothers, E. J. and Roy Largent, in the Largent Book & Jewelry store here.

Funeral services were conducted at the family home Thursday morning at 10:00 o'clock by Dr. E. O. Whitwell, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, interment following in Pecan Grove cemetery. His pastor, Dr. C. S. Weaver, was out of the city and was unable to be here.

Elder R. C. Horn assisted in the funeral services.

Active pallbearers were: Geo. W. [illegible], Aurel Belden, Dr. J. S. Bridgefarmer, Edward Fitzgerald, Ula Saunders, Jeff Smith, Rex Allen, Henry Hynds, Roger Abernathy and H. D. Mouzon Jr.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the medical fraternity of this city and county, and friends.

In addition to his wife, the deceased is survived by four children, as follows: E. J. Largent of Oklahoma City; J. W. Largent Jr. of Dallas; Mrs. Hugh Hynds of Waco, Tom Largent, at home. Three brothers and one sister also survive. They are Charles M. Largent of Merkel, Texas; E. J. and Roy Largent of McKinney; and Mrs. J. E. Mallow, also of McKinney. The deceased also leaves to mourn his passing, Mrs. Laura Largent, his step-mother and four grandchildren: Hulene and Charles Hynds; Mary Bell Largent and Billy Ed Largent.

The deceased was a cousin of Mayor Joe E. Largent of McKinney and also of Dr. Ben F. Largent and Dr. Ray Largent, both of this city, and the late Dr. W. Todd Largent, who passed away two or three years ago. His father, the late Isaac Largent, was a brother of the late J. E. Largent Sr., father of Mayor Largent, and a brother of the late W. B. Largent, father of Drs. Ben, Ray and the late Dr. W. Todd Largent, all of this city.

MEMORIAL PARK WORK IN PROGRESS

Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy took some young boys in her auto Saturday morning to the Memorial triangular park, located three miles south of McKinney at the crossroads of the pikes, to clean out the Johnson grass and weeds among the flowers and shrubbery.

This pretty little park was dedicated a year or two ago to the memory of the Collin county soldier boys who gave up their lives in the service of their country during the World war.

County Designated Highway Supervisor Gene Baldwin has his force to help take care of it in the way of watering the flowers and shrubbery to keep them alive and going during the dry summer months. He is also having a concrete curb placed around this pretty little park, which is admired by the occupants of hundreds of passing autos on both of these highways every day and night of the year. Mrs. Lovejoy was agreeably surprised and made happy when she and her boys arrived at the park to find Mr. Baldwin and his Highway Department workers had already worked the park out, cleaning out the Johnson grass and weeds and were watering the shrubbery and flowers as well as some scrub oak young trees planted along the highway.

W. A. Lindley, courteous salesman for the Bone Shoe store, has returned from Palestine where he spent his vacation. He visited in the home of his brother, Erwin Lindley and wife, while in that city.

Tom Airhart, political prognosticator of Valdasta, was here Tuesday.

Project Approved By Highway Commission; Route Not Yet Decided

North Tennessee Street, From Square to Filling Station, North of City to Be Put in First Class Condition

McKinney Delegation Meets With Favorable Response in Austin in Getting Permanent Survey Highway 24

A delegation of McKinney citizens composed of County Judge J. Frank Harrington, County Commissioner Don O. Davis, City Commissioner Add G. Wilson, Roy Roberts of the local Chamber of Commerce, A. Hardy Eubanks, chairman of the Highway Committee of the local Chamber of Commerce, and Secretary W. Hammond Moore of the local Chamber of Commerce were at the state capital, at Austin, Tuesday in behalf of Collin County's Federal and State Highway projects.

The party had breakfast Tuesday morning with Judge W. R. Ely, chairman of the Highway commission, and together with forty-odd other delegations appeared before the commission later in the day with highly satisfactory results.

Mr. Eubanks was spokesman for the delegation from Collin county that backed him up in his presentation of the following projects:

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North Tennessee Street to Be Widened.

North Tennessee is to be widened and rebuilt in the same manner as South Tennessee street, which was only recently completed, and is now the joy of the traveling public that uses it. It is to be widened and rebuilt northward to the city limits and then a new highway built from the city limits connecting with North Tennessee street to the concrete highway at the filling station, at the intersection of the old dirt highway and the concrete slab road north of town, curving westward on Church street.

The Highway Commission demanded that Highway 6 and 75 be redesignated from that point to come straight south along the old highway by the Church property through McKinney on Tennessee street instead of entering the city on Church street as at the present time.

However, the present concrete highway leading into the city over Church street will remain intact for use of the general public as at the present time.

This new highway is to be a completed job of permanent, first-class highway material, twenty feet wide. Allocation of funds were made for this project.

The Collin county delegation asked the Commission to favor the route for State Highway No. 6 and Federal Highway No. 75 from the end of the concrete slab road, north of McKinney, via Melissa and Anna to connect with the highway built through Grayson county to the Collin county line.

However, the Highway Commission did not decide on this matter but will announce their decision soon as between the route and the other survey, running straight northward from the concrete slab road, north of McKinney, along the old McKinney-Sherman dirt highway.

The final decision of the Highway commission will be based largely on the cost of the right-of-ways competing for the designation.

The Highway commission definitely approved the building or rebuilding of this highway from McKinney to the Grayson county line and made allocation for the dirt work and bridgework to be done. The balance of the funds will be allocated as fast as they may be received by the Highway commission.

This highway segment is one of the most badly needed of all the important designated highways of the state. Work is expected to begin this fall.

The Collin delegation also urged the immediate permanent survey of highway 24 running east and west from Farmersville through McKinney. This request was granted and funds also allocated for the permanent survey. The Highway commission will build a first class highway east and west through Collin county along this proposed survey as fast as highway funds come in.

The Collin county delegation used its influence in joing the Plano application to widen the street through that South Collin little city along which Highway 6 and 75 pass through the city northward to McKinney and Southward to Dallas.

The Highway commission approved this project and will widen and rebuild the street but require that Plano must furnish the curb and gutter.

This was a good day's work for County Judge J. Frank Harrington and the other members of his party for our county.

Our readers understand that this Highway 75 or State Highway 6 is already under construction, with much of the work done, between McKinney and the Dallas county line. So it seems that ere long this highway will be rebuilt throughout its entire length across Collin county and brought up to a standard more in keeping with the balance of the highway, both north and south extending through our state.

Rev. and Mrs. Kermit Melugin are the proud parents of a baby boy born to them Sunday, July 22. Rev. Melugin is pastor of the North Fort Worth Baptist church. His wife was formerly Miss Elizabeth Coffey residing near McKinney. Her mother, Mrs. Homer Coffey, is on a visit to the Melugin family.

Saturday's Election Returns In Full, Page 3

In the Weekly Democrat-Gazette today you will find a full and complete tabulation of election returns of the Democratic Primary of July 28. It is quite interesting. Every box in the county has a complete vote. Read it. When you do so, pass it to your neighbor, if he is not a reader of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, thus giving him the full information as well as showing him what kind of paper he can get for $1.00 per year. It would be well to preserve this issue of the paper to compare it with future elections.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(July 31, 1909.)

Ed West is having some improvements made on his home. W. D. O'Gwinn has the contract.

Miss Willie King has returned from a pleasant vacation spent at Eureka Springs, Arkansas. She also visited at points in Oklahoma and in Greenville, Texas.

Editor Clint Thompson of the Examiner and wife have returned from Denison where they visited Rev. J. H. Wofford and wife, parents of Mrs. Thompson.

Rev. Abe Enloe, pioneer Baptist minister, has united as many couples in matrimony as any other minister of any church in the county.

Miss Florence Davis has returned to her home in Kansas City, Missouri, after visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. D. Davis, and her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Chambers, both here in McKinney.

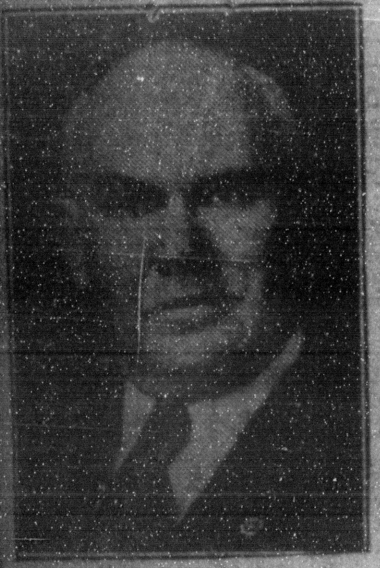
The Collin County Summer Normal has just adjourned after a profitable meeting largely attended by teachers from over the county. The Resolutions Committee composed of Prof. W. L. Roper, Mrs. Rena Johnson, Joe W. Strode, W. G. Reynolds and Miss Mary Lou Graves was adopted before adjournment thanking McKinney for her hospitality and to their instructors, Messrs. Lloyd and McDonald, Mrs. W. T. Beverly and Mrs. R. T. [illegible]

In Run-Off For Attorney General

WALTER C. WOODWARD

HON. WM. McCRAW of Dallas

In Run-Off For Railroad Comm.


LON A. SMITH

JOHN PUNDT

Run-Off Race For Associate Justice Supreme Court

H. S. LATTIMORE

JOHN H. SHARP

Leads Constable's Race

CONSTABLE JOHN A. RECORD

WHITE'S GROVE

Mrs. W. J. Childress, cor.

Mrs. W. H. Wood and daughter, Ella Jean, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Epps of Dallas.

Misses Alta and Josie spent a few days last week with their sister, Mrs. R. L. Marshall of Foote.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Grogan and family spent several days in East Texas visiting relatives.

Miss Geneva Ross has returned home after spent several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Bryant Granstaff of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Vandervender and children spent last week at Breckenridge visiting the latter's parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shields and daughter of Fort Worth were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood.

Miss Martha Walls of Plano spent several days with her cousins Misses Pauline and Eugenia [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marshall were bedtime guests of her mother, Mrs. W. J. Childress and family one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Sutherland are rejoicing over a new daughter at the city hospital since July 7, named Marilyn.

Mrs. W. J. Childress and daughters, Miss Alta and Josie and son Woodrow and Miss Geneva Ross spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress of Blue Ridge and their daughter and sister, Mrs. M. W. Doyle.

Mrs. Bryant Granstaff visited her sister, Mrs. R. L. Marshall.

Miss Alta and Josie Childress visited their niece, Miss Juanita Hicks of near Commerce a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dinsmore have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams of near Frisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Grogan Sunday.

In Run-Off For State Senate

HON. WALLACE HUGHSTON
Who Leads Field of 5 Candidates.

HON. CLAUDE ISBELL

FAYBURG

Jack Vanbevers

V. Hancock of Greenville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gideon.

Miss Roxie Cain of Commerce spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cain.

Mrs. C. B. Touchstone spent the week end with her grandson, Bennett Thompson of Midway.

Miss Asiee Neil of Dixon spent Sunday with Meda Von Terry.

Orvis May of Moreland spent Sunday with Jack Vanbevers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashley spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ashley of Snow Hill.

James Wesley Winn is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Mize spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bartow Baker.

Mrs. Parker Gideon of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gideon.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmade Steward spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cain.

Miss Mildred Marson spent Saturday night with Edith Vanbevers.

Mrs. Willie Simms of Pinile is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Simms.

B. D. Rodgers and grandson, Frank Jr. visited in Commerce Friday.

Alex Vanbevers was visiting this week end with his sister, Mrs. Joe Downs of Durant, Okla.

Mrs. Bowers and Williams of Blue Ridge spent Sunday with Mrs. Vanbevers.

WOMBLE

Miss Jewel Harben

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie McIntyre of Verona spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin.

Mrs. Pat Recer and children spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert of Viney Grove.

Miss Wanda Lou Sullivan of McKinney spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sullivan.

Miss Odell Crawley is visiting her sister in McKinney.

Mrs. Gilbert and son John spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Recer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moreland visited relatives in Altoga Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bass and daughter are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bass of Altoga.

Mrs. Lillie Harben and girls Juanita and Jewell and Mrs. Jessie Evans spent Wednesday with Mrs. Nate Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lawson and children visited Mr. and Mrs Dennis Coleman recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wallace visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson last week.

We regret to lose our good neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sullivan who have recently moved to McKinney.

FRISCO

Mrs. W. B. Staley Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wolfe were in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolater of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rolater.

Mrs. D. B. Shrader spent last week in Dallas taking medical treatment.

Mrs. T. W. Kerby visited her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Doggett in Denton last week.

Mrs. G. W. Sapp and daughters, Misses Maurine and Mary Lee, were Dallas visitors Monday.

Mrs. Carter Fisher took her Sunday school class to a picture show at McKinney last Thursday afternoon. The following members enjoyed the party: Katherine Kanaman, Nadene Miller, Nellie Ruth Duncan, Merl Hill and Ophelia Worley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McLendon of Port Neches are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith west of town. They have just returned from a visit to the Chicago fair and to points in Canada, making an interesting journey of six thousand miles.

Miss August Bradley of Greenville is visiting Mrs. J. A. McCauley and other friends in Frisco. For a number of years she was teacher of English in the Frisco High school. She taught at Port Arthur during the past year and will hold the same position for the coming school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hufford of Wichita Falls arrived in Frisco Thursday night, and spent the night with the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Malone, Friday morning, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Malone, they left for Hattiesburg, Miss., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kerby. Mrs. Kerby is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malone. They will also visit points in Tennessee while on this trip.

Mrs. W. H. Clark entertained with a "42" party honoring her husband's father, Uncle Peter Clark of Little Elm last Thursday afternoon. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: W. J. Wagoner, A. A. Malone, Harry Williams, J. A. Kanaman, R. L. Barnum, A. O. Cantrell, W. S. Collinsworth and the honoree.

The Frisco post office was moved last week from the old First National bank building at the west end of Main street to the John Sparks building on north side of Main street. The old building had been condemned and is being torn away.

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REVIVAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH

A revival meeting has been in progress at the Baptist church for the past week. Rev. Claude Johnson of Sherman is doing the preaching, assisted in the services by the pastor, Rev. T. H. McSpedden. Rev. Johnson is an earnest and forceful speaker and his deep sincerity is an outstanding characteristic. The services are being well attended and there have been several conversions to Saturday. Rev. McSpedden has been pastor of the Frisco church about five years and is greatly beloved by the entire community. G. D. Antwiler is Sunday school superintendent; Miss Lorine Kennedy, secretary; N. H. Talley, choir director; Miss Thelma Coffey, pianist; N. H. Talley, B. T. S. director and Mrs. G. L. Stone, W. M. S. president.

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Miss Margaret Winburn of Dallas is visiting Mrs. J. R. Newman.

A large delegation of Frisco citizens has been attending highway meetings at Dallas, Gunter and Sherman in the interest of securing an appropriation from the State Highway department for hard surfacing Highway No. 14 whic is the Dallas and Preston road, said to be the oldest road in North Texas. At the meeting at Gunter, Dr. W. L. Saye of Frisco was made chairman of the Preston Road body, F. P. Shrader was made one of the vice-chairman and U. N. Clary of Prosper was made secretary.

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MRS. J. W. MOODY BURIED FRIDAY

Mrs. J. W. Moody, 73, who had been in failing health for several months, passed away at her home last Thursday. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Friday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ben Bell assisted by Rev. S. W. Miller, Rev. T. H. McSpedden, Baptist church, and Rev. W. D. Craig, pastor of the Methodist church at Prosper. Burial was made at Rowlett cemetery.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a son and daughter, Virgil Moody, Frisco, and Mrs. A. T. Massey, Aubrey; two sisters, Miss Flora Chapman, Frisco, and Mrs. Annie Dunaway, Dallas; three brothers, W. Chapman, Frisco; J. H. Chapman, Denton, and J. L. Chapman, Decatur.

LEBANON

Miss Velma Miller, cor.

Edwin Moore of Farmersville visited home folks Saturday.

Abner Bryan of Dallas visited home folks Sunday.

Eldon Malone of Frisco visited Harold Shelton Sunday.

Jim Standifer of Kansas visited his mother last week.

Homer Inman of Krum visited Ben Miller last week.

Several from here attended church at Frisco Sunday night.

Mrs. J. M. Hunt and daughter, Louise, of Killen and Mrs. Mary Brown and son, Bennie, are visiting Mrs. N. L. Crozier.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. James and Mrs. N. J. Grandberry visited relatives in Dallas Sunday.

Miss Ernestine Calloway of Frisco spent the week-end with Kathlyne Shelton.

Miss Maedelle Morgan entertained the young folks with a party Friday night.

Otis Williams of McKinney visited Donald Wade this week-end.

Billie Lewis of Utica, Okla., visited his sister, Mrs. Lewis Renfro.

Miss Mable Landers of Fort Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Z. M. Morgan.

Seldon James has returned home from a visit to Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Bessie Turner of Camey and son, Tom, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Byrd Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hicks and son, W. D., visited his mother in the Baccus community over the week-end.

Lebanon church has put in Delco lights hoping to have good lights for the meeting which starts July 29. Everybody is invited.

Leads In Race For Comptroller

HON. GEORGE H. SHEPPARD

Elected District Clerk

TOM L. BAILEY

Re-Elected State Treasurer

CHARLEY LOCKHART

Re-Elected Justice of Peace

HON. ERWIN C. CRAUS

Fire, which broke out about 3:00 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, completely destroyed the home and contents of J. C. Ownsby, about two and a half miles south of Celina. Origin of the fire is not known. The family barely escaped with their lives. Mrs. Ownsby, the first to awake, notified the other members of the family who escaped in their night clothes. They were unable to save any article in the home. Had the wind been in an opposite direction, the large barn on the Ownsby place would have been destroyed. Luckily, however, the barn was saved. The Ownsby home was an old landmark of that section, having been built twenty-two years ago.

Re-Elected County Judge

HON. J. FRANK HARRINGTON

COLLIN COUNTY INCLUDED IN DROUTH RELIEF

As announced in Saturday's paper, Collin county has been included in the Primary Drouth relief set-up of the Federal government. County Judge J. Frank Harrington received two telegrams Saturday from United States Senators Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally, advising him of this fact.

Judge Harrington says that any person having cattle to sell or wanting to borrow money from the Federal government to buy feed or forage, to please file their applications with Mr. Patterson in the county agent's office at once. These applications will be filed until the machinery is set-up in this county to take care of this governormental program, which will likely require from ten to twelve days before the actual program begins.

This is a part of the government's program to help all the agricultural counties which have suffered as a result of the drouth and which has cut down feed crops for cattle. This news will be welcomed in Collin county.

D. C. Bridgefarmer who owns and operates a general mercantile business at Biggers, is running two classified advertisements elsewhere in this paper. One of them says "For Sale, Household furniture, player piano, Brunswick talking machine, at a big bargain." The second advertisement says "For Sale, Twelve good telephone boxes, will sell all of them for only $10." Br. Bridgefarmer has been in business at present stand for twenty-three years. He formerly owned and operated a local telephone exchange. Hence, he has some telephone boxes left which he is anxious to sell. Mr. Bridgefarmer is a good man who has a host of friends and patrons.

Among out-of-town bankers attending the Central National bank open house party Saturday night to receive election returns and in celebration of the bank's change from state to a national banking institution, was Bailey C. Malone, vice-president of the Mercantile National bank at Dallas. He was accompanied by his wife, who is a Collin county born and reared young matron. She was formerly Miss Cassie Holt, daughter of the late Granville Holt and wife of North Collin. Mrs. Malone's mother is still living and residing with her in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan are the proud parents of an eight-pound baby girl, born Sunday afternoon, named Rita Joan. Both mother and baby are doing nicely. Mr. Duncan is a well known young McKinney man, being employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Duncan of Denton and is a former McKinney High school football and track star and graduate and later attended North Texas State Teachers college, at Denton. His wife was formerly Miss Maurine Andrews of Dallas. She is also a former student of N. T. S. T. C. They have been residing in McKinney for sometime.

One of Northwest Collin's most widely-known and highly esteemed older settlers is E. A. Gladden of Celina in which vicinity has has lived for more than a half century. Mr. Gladden had the misfortune of losing his good wife two or three years ago. He is the father of Bailey Gladden, formerly an auto salesman with the Ford people at McKinney, but now in the same line of business, living in Dallas. E. A. Gladden is an ardent friend and admirer of Congressman Sam Rayburn, whom he heard speak with a great deal of pleasure at Celina Wednesday afternoon. These editors have known and appreciated Mr. Gladden's friendship through many years.

Prof. Hoyt Robinson, superintendent of schools at Detroit, Red River county, was among the thousands viewing the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and Daily Courier-Gazette election bulletin board on Saturday night, July 28, exhibiting the Collin county vote as gathered by the election bureau. Prof. Robinson and wife also attended the big McKinney picnic two or three days the latter part of last week. Prof. Robinson has been re-elected as superintendent at Detroit for next year. During this summer he has been teaching in summer school of the Paris Junior college at Paris, Texas.

Dr. J. H. Elliott, wife and daughter, Mrs. Jack Burrus and the latter's little daughter, Patricia, have returned from a motor trip to Chicago where they visited the Century of Progress. Dr. Elliott, who is a prominent dentist of this city, says this is a great World's fair but that the heat was oppressing which detracted somewhat from the enjoyment of their trip. Mrs. Burrus and little daughter live in Dallas.

J. Pat Moulden of Austin, Assistant in the Comptroller's office at the state capital, has been in McKinney on a brief vacation. After his arrival here, his widowed sister-in-law, Mrs. Hugh Erickson, of Allen, suffered a stroke of paralysis, and Mrs. Moulden then came up to Allen to visit her, they being sisters and daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. John L. Brown of near Allen. Mrs. Erickson previously suffered a slight stroke which was followed by another more severe one Monday afternoon, July 23. She is a lady about sixty years old. Her husband has been dead for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Massie, Mrs. Helon Perkins and little son, Pete, Jr., returned Sunday night from Santa Fe and other points in New Mexico, where they went several days ago expecting to stay one month. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. M. McKinney, of Dallas, formerly of this city. Many years ago Mr. McKinney and Mr. Massie were in business here together. Mr. and Mrs. McKinney remained out there. They returned home on account of the high altitude on Mr. Massie. Their many friends are glad to see them home.

The Wilcox Street Church of Christ in McKinney has called C. H. Woodroof of Obion, Tennessee, as pastor, and he has accepted and will enter upon his work on September 1. The church has been without a regular pastor for some time, during which period Prof. F. M. Scott of this city has been supplying, preaching and leading the congregation in its various activities. Mr. Woodroof, wife and family will move here during the latter part of August, so it is expected.

Bud Owenby, an extensive West Collin farmer and stockman, was in McKinney Saturday night to get election returns as they were received and posted by the election bureau on the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette bulletin board. Mr. Owenby's home caught fire in a mysterious way and burned one night just three or four days previous to his McKinney visit. It was a total loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Ball and and little son, Roy Jr. of Tulsa, Okla. are spending two or three days here with Mrs. Ball's brothers, City Secretary J. Frank Wolford, Phil Wolford, and Prof. Earl Y. Wolford and families in this city. Mrs. Ball was Miss Nellie Wolford before her marriage.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jno. Housewright and wife to Claude Housewright, 29 acres in Moses Sparks survey, $xxx.

T. J. Kimzey and wife to C. T. Kimzey, 9.77 acres in James Inerarity survey, $244.25.

Floyd C. Butler, guardian, to Geo. I. Howery, Lots in Wylie $20.

Minnie Lee Butler, et al to Geo. L. Howery, Lots in Wylie $110.

R. S. Avery to S. J. Massie, Lots in McKinney, $300.

United Savings Bank of Det to J. O. Anderson, Lots in McKinney, $800.

G. H. Richards and wife by Tr. to Ruth De Capree, Estate, 138 acres in Leroy Farmer survey, $1500.

Maudeline Hill Hartnett, et al to Mrs. Claudia M. Muse, 1-3 interest of2-35-67.30 acres in W. M. Davis et al survey; Lots in McKinney, $300.

Dr. S. F. Morrow to Farmers Corp Soc. Lots in Blue Ridge $125.

J. J. McDonald and wife to Farmers Corp Society, Lots in Blue Ridge $200.

C. M. Abbott and wife by Tr. to McKinney Bldg. Loan assoc., Lots in McKinney, $1500.

C. M. Abbott and wife by Tr. to McKinney Bldg. Loan assoc., Lots in McKinney, $1000.

W. G. Reed and wife to James O. Smith et al, 40 acres in Fred Sweetenburg survey, $2500.

B. E. Roper, et al to J. Walsh Hendricks, 182 acres in D. Van Winkle survey, $315.

Chas. L. Joyce et al to Jno. R. and Dora Alexander Talley et al 1-3 interest in 97.18 acres in M. I. Gemines survey, $333.

R. B. Whisenant to Robert Bailey Whisenant et al, 116 acres in R. C. Whisenant survey, $xxx.

In five room house, lot 100x100 (paved); once would have sold for $4,000. Buy now for $1,250, with small cash payment. Balance like rent. Handled exclusively by the McKINNEY REALTY CO. Call Mr. Dowell, 65.

[illegible] acres 5 miles southeast of town with fair improvements for $[illegible]. Terms to suit purchaser. McKINNEY REALTY CO. Ask Dowell.

Re-Elected County Clerk

MRS. PEARL STROTHER

Leads In Comm. of Agriculture Race

HON. J. E. McDONALD
Incumbent.

Second In Race For Lieut.-Gov.

SENATOR JOE MOORE
Who will enter Run-Off with Senator Walter Woodul.

Re-Elected Sheriff

COL. G. J. S. WALKER

J. M. Woody of Dalhart is on a visit to his daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner, living five miles southwest of the city. Mr. Woody, for many years, was a resident of Collin county, living in the Princeton community. Five or six years ago he moved to near Dalhart, the extreme western county of Texas, purchasing a large body of land, where he has since resided. He tells us that no rain has fallen in this section this year, except a few sprinkles. That no crops of any kind—wheat, oats, corn, etc.—have come up; that the water is practically all gone in the creeks and the grass is burned up. Plenty of drinking and other kind of water from a depth of about two hundred feet, being inexhaustible good water. All cattle are either being killed or shipped out of the country. No crops of any kind will be made in this section this year. He will remain several days as a guest of his son and daughter.

Directs Picnic Baby Show

MRS. O. S. SCOTT

CCESSFUL BABY SHOW AT PICNIC-REUNION

e of the most successful baby s in the history of the an- picnic-reunion was held here nesday morning, second day he event, at the bandstand, r the direction of Mrs. O. S. , who has been in charge hat event for several years. cording to Mrs. Scott, there 141 babies, the cream of 's baby crop, entered. Each was presented with a sou- r cup by the picnic associa- All mothers of babies enter- n the show were presented fans by Mitchell's Drug . Four passes to the Ritz er were presented to Mrs. and her assistants.

dges were: Mrs. J. T. Gris- Verona; Mrs. J. T. Mar- , Melissa; Mrs. Sam Bate- Celina; Mrs. John F. Har- on, Plano; Mrs. Hershel ams, Allen; Mrs. John R. nton, Kelley; Mrs. Si Lucas, nney; Mrs. Dow Rattan, An- Mrs. H. E. Morgan, McKin- Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock, mbersville; Mrs. Clarence tt, McKinney; Mrs. George Webb, McKinney.

B. Mitchell was the official ncer.

twelve judges were pre- d with a complimentary gift the picnic association.

e babies neatly dressed, d unusually pretty, making ask of the judges more dif- than ever in making their tions of the winners. Babies entered from every part of county and some were enter- rom out of the county.

ss A, boys, 2 to 6 months— n Houston Parr, son of Mr. Mrs. J. C. Parr Jr. of Lucas. P. Grocery, Fresh Malted and shaker; 1 dinner at r Cupboard Tea Room; cash, Crouch's Funeral

ss B, boys, 2 months to 6 hs—Charles Sherwood, 3rd of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Staf- Jr., Copeville. Geo. W. s. Mdse. order; Pete Mose- baby rattler; Coffey Drug bath powder.

ss A, boys, 6 months to 1 —James Ray Wright, son of and Mrs. Joe Wright, Mc- y. Phillips-Taylor Variety child's plate and cup; Ran- 1 jocky cap; W. W. Tay- 1.00 cash.

ss B, boys, 6 months to 1 —Wyman Jerry Hyde, son of and Mrs. W. J. Hyde, Mc- y. J. T. Burton Meat Mar- 50c roast; Smith's Bargain hat and hose; Don O. Da- 0c cash; Warren Cobb, 1 bot- hoe polish.

ss A, boys, 1 year to 18 hs—Charles Lessly Womble, and Mrs. C. L. Womble of na.—Carr's Ready-to-Wear, 1 of hose; Basement Barber 1 hair cut; Horn & White r), flashlight.

ss B, boys, 1 year to 18 hs—Billie Joe Hudson, Mr. Mrs. Joe Hudson, Dallas. A. ulock, one half gal. Texaco (order); England's Taylor 1 suit or dress cleaned and ed; Mockford and Allen Mar- 25c cash.

ss A, boys, 18 months to 2 —Daniel Clay Evans, son of and Mrs. D. C. Evans, Bois ye. McKinney Examiner, 1 subscription; J. B. Haynes, mbersville. Ivory soap; Dick mond, 25c cash.

ss B, boys, 18 months to 2 —James Groves. Mr. and Ben Groves, McKinney Route mmercial Barber shop, hair Collin County Motor Co., 1 greased; Judge Frank Har- on, 25c cash.

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ss A, girls, 18 months to 2 Marjorie Bess Roberts, and rMs. Luther Roberts, nney. McKinney Examiner, 1 subscription; Nelson's Dry 1 pr. bloomers; McKinney Goods, dress.

ss B, girls, 18 months to 2 —Nona Francis Allsbrook, and Mrs. Rufus Allsbrook, mbersville. Safeway Gro. Co., Airway coffee; Batson Book a story book; Throckmor- Beauty Shop, 1 finger wave.

ss A, girls, 6 months to 12 —Wanda Gene Risner, Mr. Mrs. H. A. Risner, Allen. Pratt Co., 1 can Mennen's Talc; y Matheny & The holsering Shop, 1 baby mattress.

Class B, girls, 6 months to 12 months— Birdie Jane Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Horn, McKinney.

Pratt Drug Co., 1 can of Colgates Talc; Crystal Ice Co., $1.00 Ice Book; L. A. Sears, 25c cash.

Class A, girls, 2 months to 6 months—Mary Alice Weaver, daughter Mr. and Mrs. Mack Weaver of Allen. Bridgefarmer, ing; Sanitay Grocery, 3 cans Heinz Baby Food.

Class B, girls, 2 months to 6 months—La Juan Fite Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Norwood, McKinney.

Class A, girls, 6 months to 1 year—Martha Ann West, daughter Mr. and Mrs. Claude West, McKinney. Johnson's Baby Set, Gamble's Drug; Massie Funeral home, $1.00 cash.

Class B, girls, 6 months to 1 year—Martha Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McCarley, McKinney. The Square Deal Gro., mdse., 50c; P. Less White, two piece play suit; Leonard's Dept. Store, pair of shoes.

Class A, girls, 1 year to 18 months—Billie Joe Love, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Love, Wetsel. etta mae biggers Dress Shop, hose; Smith Drug store, Johnson's baby set; W. O. Herron. Chambersville, baby gift, Lipton tea.

Class B, girls, 1 year to 18 months—Wilma Ruth Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Welborn, Clearlake. J. R. Close, Chambersville. Mother's Cocoa; Mitchell's Drug Co., baby set.

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Red Headed Girls.

Class A girls, 12 months to 18 months—Patsy Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Choice Travillion, McKinney. Pratt Gro. Co., 1 pint Welchis Grape Juice; Boone Johnson, 1 child rocker.

Class B, girls, 12 months to 18 months—Lonnie Nell, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rumsey, Princeton. Pratt Gro Co., 1 pkg. cream of wheat; Wilson Shoe store, 50c cash.

Class A, girls, 18 months to 2 years—Doris Janell Giles, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Giles, Chambersville. North Side Drug Co., Toilet set; Singer Sewing Machine Co., 5 yds. herstitching; Jess Burton, Coco Malt.

Class B, girls, 18 months to 2 years—Eva Nell Nolen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nolen, Melissa. The Leader, Beret; Mi-Lady's Hat shop, 50c cash.

Red Headed Boys.

Class A, boys, 2 months to 6 months—Dan Truman Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sullivan, McKinney. Furr's Cafe, 1 Mother's lunch; Larson's Cycle shop, 50c cash; $1.00 cash, Texas Power & Light Co.

Class B, boys, 2 months to 6 months—Dan Truman Sullivan, son Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sullivan, McKinney. Wilcox Lumber Co., 1 qt. interior glass paint; Home Town Bakery, 25c cash.

Class A, boys, 6 months to 1 year—Jack Doyal Huddleston, Mr. and Mrs. Doyal Huddleston, Princeton. Perkins & Wilson, 1 Daily Courier-Gazette, 3 months; R. C. McLeod, 25c cash; W. H. Shaw Gro., Malted Milk and Tennis set.

Class B, boys, 6 months to 1 year—Jimmie Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bowers, Chambersville. Collin Co. Buick, 1 car wash; Goostree book shop, story book; John Williams Wholesale & Retail Products, watermelon.

Class A, boys, 1 year to 18 months—Robert Harris Springer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Springer, Wylie. Babcock Bros., 1 complete polish set; N. D. Ready, 50c cash.

Class B, boys, 1 year to 18 months—Bobbie Charles Craver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Less Craver, Princeton. City Barber shop, 1 hair cut; L. Dow Hendricks, 50c cash.

Class A, boys, 18 months to 2 years—Charles Samuel, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rogers, Altoga. Underwood Chevrolet Co., inner tube; G. J. S. Walker, 50c cash.

Class B, boys, 18 months to 2 years—Fred Alton Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mitchell, Weston. Allen Market, merchandise; Tom M. Scott, 25c cash.

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Twins.

Class A. twins—Harold Lloyd, Haywood Wyland Crosser, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crosser, Anna. $1.00 cash, Harris Funeral home; North Side Barber shop, 1 hair cut; Caldiron & Murphy Barber shop, 1 hair cut; Bryan Bros. Ice Cream Freezer; Crossnoe Cafe (order), mother's meal.

Class, B. twins—Bettie Louise, Billie Max, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Bales, McKinney. Woods' cafe, $1.00 cash; Marigold Beauty shop, finger wave and shampoo; Basement Beauty shop, finger wave & shampoo; Safeway Gro. Co., 1-4 lb. Airway Tea; A. D. Hope & Son, 1 cream pitcher.

Sweepstake girl—Mary Alice Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Weaver, Allen. 5 gal. East Texas Hytest gasoline, Scott & Cole 402 S. Tenn. St.; dress, McAlexander; photo, Greenwoods studio.

Sweepstake boy—Charles Lessley, Mrs. Charles Womble, Verona. Baby basket, J. P. Dowell; sack of flour, Buylo Gro.; $1.50 merchandise, Perkins Bros.

Sweepstake Red Headed girls—Dorris Janelle Giles, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Giles, Chambersville. Woolworth, dress, quilt, hose, and rattler; 1 sack White Billows, Collin Co. Mill; dress, J. C. Penney & Co.; 50c cash, A. M. Scott.

Sweepstake for Red Headed boy—Charles Samuel, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rodgers, Altoga. 1 sack White Billows flour, Collin Co. Mill & Elevator; photos, Greenwood Studio; foot stool, L. M. Smith Furniture Co.

HONORED OLD FATHER OF M'KINNEY LADY

Dr. S. J. Harrell of Houghton, a suburb of Shreveport, Louisiana, is spending a few days in McKinney, the guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hammond Moore. Dr. Harrell has visited his children in McKinney before, during which stays he made a number of local friends, who are glad to welcome him back to our city. He is a well educated and informed old citizen, now eighty-four. He is a splendid public speaker and a conversationalist of rare gifts and information on topics in general. Dr. Harrell is a native of Georgia but moved to Louisiana in early young manhood. He still takes an active part in church, civic and official life of his section of Louisiana. This editor always enjoys his company and listening to his comments and conversation on any topic. The Doctor has known United States Senator Huey P. Long of Louisiana since the latter's childhood. He says that Senator Long came from the poorest of parentage and was reared on a little sandy farm in the piney woods section of Louisiana. When a mere boy, he got permission from his father to work out to pay for his own education, securing a college training. He seemed to have been endowed with an unusually brilliant intellect and is a public speaker of rare gifts. In Dr. Harrell's opinion. Senator Long is more firmly entrenched in public life and popular sentiment of Louisiana at this time than ever before. The massed attack on the Senator's official and private life by his political enemies of the last two years has almost entirely subsided.

OWN COOLING SYSTEM INSTALLED BY C. C. HARRIS

Accepting the invitation of C. C. Harris, poprietor of the Harris Funeral home of this city, this editor visited his modern place of business to inspect the washed-air home-manufactured cooling system which he has just installed in his pretty big brick funeral home.

This improvement is indeed a wonderful accomplishment and an ingenious device that equals in results the operation of any other cooling system that we know of in our city or elsewhere.

It is all the more interesting, because of the fact its being personally made and installed by Mr. Harris and Carl McDonald, his assistant, in conducting this modern funeral home enterprise. They designed and made it with their own hands.

In building this system, he used parts from a Model T Ford car, wheels from a garden push cart, plain bailing wire, scraps of lumber and other seemingly useless and discarded materials.

But, nevertheless, the cooling effect is delightful and gives off the same refreshing breezes found in local theaters, or homes, offices and stores provided with the costlist of cooling systems.

The air is thoroughly filtered and purified by removing all dust and other foreign particles from it.

It is possible to circulate this cool air through all parts of the building on the second, as well as throughout the first floor rooms, halls and chapel and the funeral parols proper.

The C. C. Harris Funeral home, a two-story modern brick enterprise, is indeed a credit to its proprieto arnd wife and to our city and county. They built it for their business a few years ago. It is well arranged, close-in to the public square and has every convenience known to the business of the undertaker and mortician.

Its superior service is provided for the public and its patrons at no additional cost.

It is one of the most desirable and suitable places in which to hold a funeral service that we know of.

You should visit the Harris Funeral home to see its unique cooling system in operation and sample its results that are so cooling and comfortable on these hot midsummer days and nights.

PRODUCTION CREDIT ASS'N. MOVES HERE

At a recent meeting between the officials of the Farm Credit Administration of Houston and the Production Credit Association of Dallas and the Sherman Production Credit Association of Sherman, it was unanimously agreed that the Dallas and Sherman Associations should be consolidated and chartered under one organization.

This made an eight-county set up consisting of the following counties: Dallas, Denton, Rockwall, Kaufman, Collin, Cooke, Grayson and Fannin.

Collin county being centrally located, it was decided that McKinney would be the logical place for the headquarters for the new organization. For that reason a new charter has been issued and a new organization set up known as the McKINNEY PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION with increased capital to $360,000.00.

The purpose of the Production Credit Associations is to get money to the farmers and stockmen to take care of their agricultural and livestock interests at the very lowest rate of interest that is possible for the Government to allow under the new set-up which comes under the Farm Credit Administration Act of 1933.

Although these different Associations were set up late in the spring of 1934, they have already made loans to hundreds of farmers and livestock men and have saved them millions of dollars throughout the United States.

This new, enlarged Association, which is being moved to McKinney, is anticipating increased volume of business for the coming years.

This is an organization that is open the year round and is prepared to lend money in distressed times as well as in prosperous times.

Any and all farmers and stock raisers from either of the above mentioned eight counties are invited to apply to the McKinney Production Credit Association located at 116 West Virginia in the Meis building.

Directors of the Production Credit association at McKinney under C. D. Terry, secretary-treasurer, are:

J. L. Ladd, Sherman, president.
Frank Underwood, Honey Grove.
J. A. Moore, Grand Prairie.
J. O. Wallace, Rockwall.
W. M. Gibson, Melissa.

Notes of the local Production Credit association are rediscounted at the Intermediate Credit bank of Houston but the borrower, is paid his money here at McKinney by Mr. Terry.

The minimum amount of a loan will be fifty dollars and the maximum amount will be determined of course, by the collateral offered, such as livestock, farm tools, and farm products. Loans may be negotiated on grain or cotton when warehoused and on crops to be produced by the funds of the loan.

The McKinney Production Credit association, with its capital stock of $360,000, will constitute the largest financial institution of our county. Its loans for production purposes only may range as high as a couple of hundred thousand dollars for the eight counties, during the first year.

Of course this is only conjectors and may amount to much more or less according to economic developments as related to times generally and to agriculture in particular.

Judge J. Frank Harrington of McKinney was in Plano Thursday on official business, and called at this office. Judge Harrington has discarded his crutches and now gets about with the aid of a walking cane. It will be remembered that several months ago, Judge and Mrs. Harrington were seriously injured in an automobile accident near Austin. The Judge sustained a broken leg and the member was in a cast until a short while ago.—Plano Star-Courier.

Mrs. J. G. Miller of Canadian, Texas, is a guest in the home of her brother-in-law, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dysart, owners of Sunnybrook farm, ten miles north of McKinney.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(July 27, 1909.)

This extremely dry, hot weather has caused several cases of typhoid fever to appear in different parts of the county.

Gene Martin is having the bathroom and bathtubs of his barber shop nicely repainted. O. C. Spencer is doing the work.

Editor John M. Weekly of the Ennis Local was in McKinney today and gave us a call. He came up with his town baseball team to see the game with McKinney.

Mrs. J A. L. Wolfe has returned to Sherman after a visit to Mrs. W. A. Rhea, in McKinney. Mrs. Wolfe's husband was formerly County Judge of Collin county before they moved to Sherman some years ago.

Eld. J. R. Darnall of Cottage Hill, father of Mrs. George P. Brown of this city, received a telegraphic message today, announcing the death of his brother, Hon. George. W. Darnall, Lexington, Kentucky. Death was due to pneumonia. The deceased visited his brother in this county and also another brother, A. L. Darnall, at Sherman, two years ago.

Attorney G. R. Smith received a telegram this morning, announcing the death of his father, J. L. Smith, at Muskogee, Oklahoma. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Z. T. Walrond. The aged father was eighty-three years old. For sixty years, he resided on his farm near Horse Cave, Kentucky, where he and his wife reared their family of children. They moved two years ago to Muskogee, Oklahoma, where they have two daughters living. Judge W. J. J. Smith of Dallas is another one of his sons.

COMPLETE RETURNS FROM COLLIN COUNTY'S 47 BOXES IN SATURDAY'S PRIMARY

		1. Northwest McKinney	2. Southwest McKinney	3. Southeast McKinney	4. Northeast McKinney	5. Allen	6. Lucas	7. Clear Lake	8. Culleoka	9. Princeton	10. Altoga	11. North Farmersville	12. South Farmersville	13. Climax	14. Verona	15. Snow Hill	16. Melissa	17. Anna	18. Westminster	19. Valdasta	20. Weston	21. Roland	22. North Celina	23. West Plano	24. Renner	25. Murphy	26. Dump	27. Wylie	28. Rhea Mills	29. Prosper	30. Frisco	31. Lebanon	32. Millwood	33. Lavon	34. Copeville	35. Nevada	36. Josephine	37. Blue Ridge	38. Desert	39. Pike	40. Cedar	41. Parker	42. North Royse	43. Forest Grove	44. North McKinney	45. South McKinney	46. South Celina	47. East Plano	TOTALS
United States Senator	Jos. W. Bailey, Jr.	243	198	212	129	79	25	31	47	17	37	229	251	44	28	53	88	118	55	68	96	77	105	84	13	39	26	97	28	75	108	74	15	37	35	43	34	194	20	52	22	23	20	48	147	132	77	75	3752
	Tom Connally	234	242	111	110	123	37	26	31	60	40	244	213	36	31	30	133	114	53	30	76	38	82	127	40	60	18	88	25	97	79	46	10	42	52	104	88	145	20	33	20	24	23	41	239	106	75	131	3387
	Guy B. Fisher	12	5	17	5	6	2	0	3	2	3	15	19	2	3	4	2	14	1	3	4	1	0	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	2	6	3	6	6	1	0	2	0	3	7	9	2	2	135
Governor	James V. Allred	250	222	94	106	59	33	27	43	70	48	212	190	30	38	22	109	95	31	52	61	33	100	121	35	52	20	62	22	94	104	51	7	41	38	66	48	81	15	37	17	20	23	49	216	92	77	49	3427
	Maury Hughes	39	18	20	7	13	2	4	3	16	3	35	40	3	2	4	15	25	7	3	18	7	1	17	1	10	9	50	2	11	20	6	2	10	6	12	12	22	1	2	0	6	4	4	22	19	13	23	579
	Tom F. Hunter	103	77	52	62	94	13	11	8	28	9	91	94	19	3	21	36	61	30	16	50	37	24	19	11	23	7	29	13	35	37	41	2	9	31	26	41	61	17	5	15	8	10	15	62	42	35	28	1659
	C. C. McDonald	61	55	126	59	26	10	13	30	48	15	92	80	26	10	32	35	37	25	35	29	31	30	20	3	16	7	31	12	13	12	15	9	11	12	41	11	155	10	26	17	12	6	20	49	50	31	8	1512
	Clint Small	33	22	10	6	2	5	5	1	1	0	25	24	3	7	1	13	11	6	1	7	7	5	13	4	10	2	13	0	9	5	6	3	0	5	3	0	15	3	4	2	3	1	6	23	16	10	23	374
	Edgar Witt	29	18	4	7	5	0	0	0	4	3	11	20	1	1	3	7	5	1	1	4	1	2	11	2	7	2	4	3	4	3	2	1	7	0	7	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	5	3	15	236
Lieutenant Governor	Ben F. Berkeley	20	14	19	16	14	2	2	5	8	3	22	33	5	4	6	4	14	7	5	3	10	5	18	2	13	3	15	2	7	14	12	1	10	5	5	4	28	3	8	0	3	4	6	9	7	6	4	410
	John Hornsby	67	37	11	31	4	3	0	2	1	2	31	28	1	1	3	33	17	2	15	7	9	8	4	2	12	1	7	2	11	10	4	0	14	0	3	5	20	3	0	4	2	3	6	44	39	8	9	526
	R. M. Johnson	19	9	13	4	9	1	3	1	9	2	33	16	5	3	6	6	14	5	2	4	6	7	11	2	6	1	4	2	2	4	2	0	1	5	1	4	17	0	10	1	2	0	2	6	2	4	5	314
	Joe Moore	373	311	227	142	107	41	46	56	126	58	303	322	54	37	64	137	145	77	66	109	69	133	125	28	63	28	123	35	102	128	80	19	60	54	123	85	212	31	49	27	27	29	61	286	138	114	127	5120
	J. P. Rogers	0	9	13	15	9	3	2	2	7	1	23	19	6	1	3	5	7	2	2	8	5	6	11	3	5	5	12	3	8	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	21	3	6	9	4	1	5	3	21	1	7	292
	Walter F. Woodul	41	43	22	25	26	8	2	3	12	3	45	46	6	3	2	20	24	4	7	15	3	21	30	11	13	5	22	4	26	14	8	2	1	2	14	17	31	4	5	1	6	3	5	31	21	19	30	698
Attorney General	William McCraw	351	214	221	176	138	52	44	51	117	55	239	226	48	58	50	160	163	63	78	127	82	134	141	33	100	33	147	38	135	151	85	17	61	52	95	79	215	24	38	25	42	28	64	264	157	130	136	5018
	Clyde E. Smith	63	50	56	22	22	4	6	13	37	11	174	199	20	11	27	22	34	22	13	21	14	13	25	1	6	3	18	6	13	16	14	4	16	20	36	32	90	15	22	17	4	10	11	39	19	6	17	1320
	Walter Woodward	111	110	44	36	33	4	7	6	17	9	42	53	7	7	8	28	31	20	5	15	9	29	51	23	15	8	28	8	14	23	26	4	1	2	20	13	6	5	18	1	7	5	14	42	56	21	47	1136
State Comptroller of Public Accounts	Manley H. Clary	20	33	26	21	10	4	3	4	13	5	28	40	7	6	7	18	7	16	9	16	9	23	5	11	3	4	19	5	26	19	13	2	3	1	5	4	31	9	5	4	2	2	8	25	17	8	15	570
	J. J. (Jack) Patterson	168	102	99	36	33	15	37	24	59	23	155	159	27	21	32	46	55	31	32	38	28	52	45	12	24	7	64	8	38	35	29	8	32	64	94	75	132	9	22	20	24	20	29	113	91	43	43	2403
	George H. Sheppard	282	333	130	91	114	34	12	27	70	26	228	213	25	18	25	116	131	40	40	84	50	81	143	36	81	22	83	23	83	110	58	13	39	27	40	33	118	17	42	10	16	16	45	210	81	72	124	3527
	Dolf B. Tillison	41	43	36	22	28	6	2	15	17	5	43	87	17	7	13	19	15	8	5	6	8	15	10	1	5	6	7	4	11	13	5	1	6	6	8	3	40	7	10	5	3	3	3	20	18	15	9	627
State Treasurer	Kay Griffin	37	25	30	23	12	7	5	6	22	9	48	46	11	4	7	12	121	10	5	15	14	10	16	2	9	3	21	4	10	15	15	4	4	5	8	10	34	3	7	5	5	0	4	16	20	6	7	606
	Charlie Lockhart	299	242	150	110	99	17	19	18	58	21	156	150	17	17	30	111	84	33	35	41	38	87	118	34	48	16	75	24	61	98	52	7	26	27	55	29	129	18	30	11	14	30	39	245	112	79	120	3228
	George B. Terrell	114	97	88	60	39	29	22	29	67	20	195	164	38	21	24	56	102	38	35	61	35	49	57	12	46	17	69	20	73	52	36	8	35	38	52	59	116	12	34	18	21	5	27	66	75	41	56	2438
	Dennis B. Waller	60	50	42	38	22	6	1	13	15	12	56	96	10	12	19	23	22	8	14	21	12	18	15	3	12	9	18	3	19	14	12	3	12	13	33	25	51	3	8	5	6	5	16	48	11	14	11	942
Commissioner of Agriculture	C. C. Conley	51	33	29	37	21	5	10	5	17	8	44	49	8	12	8	28	22	13	22	20	14	21	10	6	9	9	26	3	15	10	8	3	12	17	6	16	49	4	14	3	6	5	14	39	31	11	17	820
	Fred W. Davis	168	102	75	66	40	16	18	13	44	14	174	160	27	10	25	53	71	30	29	52	28	54	58	12	23	0	44	19	33	62	25	9	23	14	42	33	107	24	22	12	17	13	16	95	67	58	51	2147
	J. E. McDonald	250	231	162	107	83	39	25	45	82	32	165	203	32	27	35	107	95	45	28	64	47	76	124	25	76	26	96	29	92	80	60	10	37	39	90	68	152	8	33	16	22	24	43	194	97	62	98	3678
	K. Terrell	29	39	23	9	9	4	0	6	14	4	69	45	9	4	12	10	15	4	5	15	3	15	14	7	3	3	13	3	14	16	10	1	5	3	8	4	20	4	8	4	2	0	9	25	19	8	8	559
Commissioner of the General Land Office	Walter E. Jones	216	210	136	114	86	20	26	22	82	26	213	235	29	28	31	80	105	43	36	72	50	74	62	21	27	15	59	25	70	64	38	10	26	43	72	50	121	18	40	12	16	15	32	161	94	51	63	3142
	J. H. Walker	283	189	156	104	77	38	31	32	74	33	314	221	48	29	54	117	109	48	47	77	52	107	137	31	73	29	120	27	84	107	75	14	54	31	70	73	215	27	44	22	29	25	46	190	121	85	111	4070
State Railroad Commissioner	W. Gregory Hatcher	108	97	51	41	40	18	11	19	32	13	113	85	18	15	19	46	44	19	28	34	24	44	71	21	38	13	49	29	45	55	27	5	20	22	49	42	74	9	15	9	20	13	32	94	49	28	58	1817
	James L. McNees	43	42	32	18	19	6	5	10	21	10	56	54	10	7	19	13	20	38	7	21	19	16	10	2	22	8	28	9	15	12	20	2	6	7	14	7	59	5	9	5	8	3	11	17	25	6	13	807
	H. O. Johnson	25	23	38	14	3	4	5	4	17	6	84	61	9	4	16	10	11	5	5	14	5	11	4	1	1	2	3	1	16	9	7	2	8	8	4	6	24	5	4	7	4	2	4	17	11	4	6	549
	John Pundt	219	164	137	112	66	18	26	22	47	30	130	125	27	20	15	81	66	20	31	25	29	76	87	22	40	15	59	14	48	58	43	7	21	14	48	33	120	16	19	9	11	19	38	159	90	76	78	2530
	Lon A. Smith	104	83	36	32	28	6	9	8	34	8	74	94	11	9	11	48	53	11	14	35	14	14	37	6	12	2	31	7	24	32	17	7	26	20	22	25	45	6	22	5	2	4	9	78	37	25	31	1264
Associate Justice of Supreme Court	H. S. Lattimore	180	141	86	74	73	25	16	18	50	31	147	136	12	12	18	88	35	28	37	44	28	70	67	26	48	12	60	16	48	77	45	5	27	20	56	43	87	10	16	7	10	14	25	160	69	53	84	1484
	James W. McClendon	117	205	88	56	32	14	12	20	40	11	133	144	24	20	22	33	66	25	26	43	28	37	50	12	25	13	36	19	32	41	28	13	26	18	66	27	119	17	16	11	10	8	13	77	41	46	43	1903
	John H. Sharp	203	164	118	89	63	18	27	23	65	20	165	162	37	24	42	79	51	39	21	61	45	54	77	13	22	19	73	17	26	55	37	6	29	27	33	57	121	14	37	17	27	18	40	125	108	59	56	2712
Congress, Fourth District	Jess Morris	165	141	185	176	113	39	46	51	131	41	246	233	62	38	67	82	83	59	43	128	57	88	82	28	36	30	112	22	52	63	66	16	36	43	47	45	163	26	33	36	31	15	33	123	91	64	59	3625
	Sam Rayburn	372	204	126	126	95	23	13	30	54	40	248	259	21	24	23	137	155	52	57	49	57	99	135	27	90	17	80	34	122	124	57	2	46	44	109	84	206	20	34	13	22	27	62	265	150	94	148	4282
Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals	Ben L. Jones	322	261	167	129	91	19	38	50	107	49	279	294	50	38	61	157	155	79	61	107	50	109	91	37	55	21	88	33	74	87	60	14	38	39	95	70	210	31	42	27	22	17	45	244	139	83	76	4424
	Robert B. Allen	206	164	129	103	96	45	17	29	55	17	184	173	29	14	16	45	63	20	21	53	47	64	117	18	65	28	99	18	91	95	52	9	43	40	48	57	130	14	30	10	27	24	41	128	83	59	111	3012
Flotorial Representative 45th District	Bevis Davis	12	15	13	10	7	2	6	11	5	0	24	17	6	1	10	8	15	6	4	12	1	11	5	4	3	2	10	3	13	8	10	1	6	4	13	5	22	8	6	1	2	3	4	5	9	6	12	361
	C. H. (Charlie) Akin	211	147	137	118	102	37	37	75	169	56	208	210	56	37	34	145	142	56	50	76	68	93	106	27	53	23	97	22	81	88	55	13	18	30	58	69	186	18	36	29	27	27	32	135	84	78	107	3747
	Grover Burton	304	259	150	110	79	23	15	12	13	23	222	231	18	22	35	53	67	41	40	74	38	72	90	21	63	20	77	25	65	79	58	10	55	55	78	54	122	16	40	15	23	10	36	237	189	60	79	3432
	James B. Kone	3	14	12	2	0	2	0	1	2	0	9	7	1	1	5	9	4	5	0	4	2	6	1	0	1	0	4	1	5	4	2	0	1	1	1	1	7	1	2	1	1	0	3	4	3	4	1	135
State Senator, 19th Senatorial District	T. M. Staples	66	74	33	31	22	24	22	11	30	12	77	38	22	7	24	49	41	7	12	22	27	16	31	13	61	19	146	2	24	37	13	2	24	19	9	7	81	6	27	7	14	1	33	62	23	15	46	1434
	Will A. Harris	33	18	21	14	14	7	7	13	30	13	33	36	11	4	4	10	9	6	0	23	7	6	8	2	1	4	1	8	25	8	9	2	6	15	4	4	12	3	5	3	4	7	5	27	14	4	6	505
	Wallace Hughston	275	218	82	97	49	17	16	33	70	29	228	206	16	26	38	89	116	48	68	73	37	80	135	38	42	17	34	20	73	83	67	2	21	44	58	42	190	22	44	16	20	8	12	177	102	63	134	3380
	Claude Isbell	54	50	18	26	95	6	3	2	9	3	88	75	10	4	6	13	18	24	5	3	1	3	13	1	5	1	12	4	8	15	12	13	28	8	73	61	27	3	2	8	4	21	4	43	29	2	6	906
	J. W. (Joe) McCullough	112	31	178	74	81	13	10	30	44	31	56	69	30	22	12	56	56	29	15	53	41	66	26	1	12	6	4	22	46	45	21	4	7	11	8	8	56	11	9	16	10	5	34	82	76	62	17	1708
Local Representative	Byron England	307	264	179	118	140	58	26	27	72	36	295	252	34	23	23	120	62	29	25	105	60	98	129	31	89	34	98	21	89	102	64	10	54	44	78	62	157	15	30	20	29	14	60	214	137	102	144	4219
	J. D. Lyons	27	30	27	21	10	1	11	18	37	15	66	64	15	11	8	41	139	53	69	35	18	15	23	4	13	5	21	11	13	11	7	5	8	12	6	5	111	15	16	6	0	7	8	18	10	14	16	1095
	T. O. Murray	196	147	124	101	61	11	22	45	71	36	119	151	42	30	28	65	38	30	10	36	37	60	58	18	21	6	58	23	71	67	45	8	19	34	79	53	101	14	36	20	16	19	32	151	103	35	34	2255
District Clerk	Tom L. Bailey	279	246	138	142	122	43	32	40	82	39	260	219	43	40	59	153	138	48	74	82	71	79	122	34	58	26	98	22	98	102	69	4	11	25	58	34	225	26	43	20	25	26	60	243	124	40	124	4127
	Floyd W. Taylor	70	54	59	35	65	11	21	22	42	24	65	79	13	12	8	30	32	12	20	46	23	63	32	2	38	1	27	10	39	42	22	4	51	22	20	13	52	9	11	9	19	4	13	40	31	83	28	1427
	L. A. Sears	192	149	150	73	30	16	8	30	69	35	164	187	41	16	27	42	41	62	18	50	24	54	63	10	27	19	66	26	45	48	33	17	19	53	89	81	99	11	34	19	11	12	24	104	95	35	55	2558
County Superintendent of Schools	Roy R. James	88	86	49	44	41	0	8	28	25	4	104	72	11	18	18	35	15	18	15	33	28	55	19	8	12	7	41	6	38	48	17	0	11	16	18	35	263	28	18	6	22	27	5	44	41	65	27	1605
	L. Dow Hendricks	214	131	59	66	58	26	34	41	46	41	123	137	24	17	35	122	191	98	80	77	30	38	103	32	26	16	50	17	58	64	59	14	48	62	59	57	48	8	14	11	6	11	25	145	88	56	79	2875
	J. H. Jackson	25	20	35	20	19	1	7	12	18	9	204	249	34	18	32	31	25	9	2	23	13	16	24	11	4	11	37	0	27	82	12	5	13	17	73	22	54	9	19	13	2	2	2	33	14	9	26	1290
	J. W. (Will) Moseley	218	208	204	122	101	44	16	33	104	39	54	35	24	21	8	37	25	5	15	49	49	32	72	9	88	13	62	34	60	49	39	4	9	7	16	12	24	5	18	25	27	3	68	168	108	32	75	2459
Sheriff	W. A. (Bill) Kerby	187	191	177	83	90	31	8	8	75	42	295	276	22	11	40	54	108	44	24	46	45	40	74	44	4	21	64	27	33	35	43	13	33	60	80	41	148	22	35	49	16	20	27	120	101	42	108	3204
	G. J. S. Walker	365	262	171	162	129	45	51	85	117	57	224	224	70	58	56	174	148	78	84	139	74	155	147	18	73	26	132	32	149	157	88	11	49	46	78	82	233	33	61	7	42	26	72	277	153	119	105	5131
Tax Assessor-Collector	N. D. Ready	304	322	321	159	123	42	39	62	123	82	321	351	62	57	65	139	181	112	83	128	84	117	36	17	64	29	167	42	96	126	66	21	70	76	106	86	297	38	91	41	12	32	74	243	159	97	29	5135
	F. T. N. (Nick) Hood	254	202	198	93	92	26	21	28	68	14	190	149	33	12	29	87	76	15	38	50	37	74	188	41	61	16	86	16	89	89	73	2	19	27	47	36	59	15	10	12	45	10	29	153	95	65	159	3180
County Treasurer	Lela Copeland	243	200	142	120	122	22	50	26	101	19	294	269	29	20	72	137	177	82	45	119	97	119	118	35	40	19	25	36	64	85	77	14	21	42	16	70	397	37	73	35	29	16	44	204	131	78	93	4322
	Cecil M. Hight	172	19	187	99	74	35	8	29	64	74	103	96	14	5	13	33	58	24	61	38	51	67	70	27	49	17	37	13	107	35	41	1	18	12	17	16	65	6	7	8	19	12	42	103	82	69	70	2447
	Ed F. Kirby	75	79	67	53	13	7	3	14	30	7	104	124	42	10	5	8	17	18	19	25	13	18	26	4	43	10	61	13	19	14	13	14	43	45	127	40	16	7	16	8	7	15	13	45	34	12	23	1033

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Editorial Expression

One of the major financial new enterprises announced for McKinney in recent years, is the McKinney Production Credit association of which J. L. Ladd of Sherman is president and C. D. Terry, also of Sherman is secretary-treasurer. The latter has already moved to McKinney and opened up offices in the Metz building on West Virginia street. The McKinney Production Credit association has a capital of $360,000 which is the largest capital of any like set-up in Texas. This McKinney Association serves eight counties—Collin, Dallas, Denton, Rockwall, Kaufman, Cook, Grayson and Fannin. It was first set up at Sherman in the early part of the year, but was moved to McKinney in order to be more centrally located geographically speaking to the territory served. The purpose of the McKinney Production Credit association is to get money to farmers and stockmen to take care of their agricultural and livestock interest at the very lowest rate of interest that is possible for the government to allow under the new set-up which comes under the Farm Credit Administration Act of 1933. The Board of Directors of this local Association is composed of J. L. Ladd, Sherman; Frank Underwood, Honey Grove; J. A. Moore, Grand Prairie; J. O. Wallace, Rockwall and W. M. (Jake) Gibson, Melissa. Through this avenue probably as much as $200,000 in loans will be passed out at McKinney to farm and livestock borrowers of these eight counties within the first twelve months. McKinney gladly welcomes the institution to our city. Our city officials and Chambers of Commerce will be glad to show it every courtesy and cooperation that it may stand in need of at the point of its location. It is a permanent and not an emergency set-up and federal enterprise.

The fellow who zooms down the highway in his car is not the only one who is anxious to see the plan of the State Highway Commission and civic minded Texas everywhere go through in the planting of trees, shrubs and flowers alongside our highways. The beauty of such scenery cannot be denied and it would indeed make a drive more pleasant, but material worth is given to the effort when we learn that engineers in the state are heartily pushing the effort, because it prevents soil erosion. Those old timers in the pioneering of America, who cut down a large part of the forests that then covered the continent, did not know that they were paving the way for the erosion of soil which would cause Americans several generations later much grief. The same thing has occurred in the Middle West or on the prairies where the grass was up-rooted several years ago to make way for wheatfields and where great sandstorms now menace the future of the farmer. The planting of more trees and shrubs and flowers along Texas highways will insure them against erosion which is a great service.

Newspapers of Texas for almost ten years have kept the embers of the Texas Centennial going. According to Editor Lowry Martin of Corsicana, the time has come now for the final big push, and the job will largely hinge upon newspaper men to do it. The constitutional amendment voted in 1932 showed the preponderance of sentiment for the Centennial. The last legislature appropriated $100,000 for the promotion of the Texas Centennial, but a very small part of this appropriation was given the Advertising Committee. Hence, the newspapers are patriotically carrying on for the good of the state's present and future welfare by giving free publicity to the Centennial whose success means so much for our state and all its people.

Steve Murphy, dropped dead recently at Sonora, in Southwest Texas, at the age of 74. He was the last of the three Murphy brothers who came from Canada and settled at San Angelo in early West Texas days. They established newspapers at San Angelo and Sonora. Steve Murphy sold his paper, the Devil's River News, eight years ago, following the death of his older brother, Mike Murphy. The other brother, J. G. (Pat) Murphy established the San Angelo Standard, there fifty years ago last May. He was a friend of these editors and one of the state's most popular newspaper men. His death occurred a few years ago.

Collin county should make a good cotton crop this fall. Proceeds of such a crop—and they should be higher than in the past three years—will greatly aid the farmer and everyone else in this section. To help out, Collin farmers produced a good onion crop this summer, which brought a good price. Prosperity may not return, but it doesn't sound very much like anyone is going to starve to death this winter. In fact, the wolf's howl should be too distant to hear very clearly.

Clyde Rambo, a native McKinney boy, was recently elected Mayor of Calexico, California, where he has been living for the past ten years. Clyde's mother, Mrs. R. Rambo, is still living in McKinney. We like to hear good reports from our native sons who have gone out to other parts.

The Thirty-Fifth Annual Collin County Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' picnic and reunion is now history. It came to a successful close Saturday night. The event was a success from every standpoint this year. Guided by a group of capable officials, headed by President Wilkins Comegys, the five-day celebration was staged without a hitch and with one of the most interesting and varied programs in picnic history. That the annual picnic-reunion is a fixed institution of our county can not be denied by any observing person. Originated long ago to honor Confederate veterans and early settlers, it has grown in importance and prestige until now it has won for itself a place in the lives of our people, who always look forward to the celebration with glad anticipation. It annually attracts thousands to McKinney, not only from over the county but from many points over this and other states.

Notwithstanding newspapers are the greatest community leaders and have done more than any other factor for the betterment of the home city. Yet some people continue to find fault with their home newspaper and withhold support that they should be giving the enterprise that never tires fighting your battles and promoting your home city progress. Some people are just naturally ungrateful.

New home mortgages, drawn under the Housing Act recently enacted by Congress and signed by the President, will run for twenty years at five per cent interest. An additional one per cent will be collected to be paid into a mutual mortgage insurance fund. This fund will insure those, who hold the mortgages, against any losses. Mortgages under this plan are restricted to a total of a billion dollars.

One of our county's older families, the Newton B. Lynn clan, recently celebrated its annual family reunion at Finch Park, in McKinney. About 200 descendants were present. Moore Lynn, the first state auditor of Texas, is one of these descendants.

Now is the time most favorable that you have ever had to buy a home in McKinney or a farm in the county. Values are lower than you will probably ever see them again. Terms are also favorable.

Go to church on Sunday. Your presence will inspire the preacher; and he in turn will inspire you. It's a paying proposition, all the way around.

COUNTY TREASURER-ELECT

Miss Lela Copeland Overwhelmed With Gratitude For Her Victory At Polls.

Words utterly fail me when I attempt to express my thanks to the voters of Collin county for their very generous support in the recent Democratic primary in making me your nominee for the office of County Treasurer. Your confidence, as shown by giving me a clear majority in the first primary and relieving me of both the labor and expense of entering the second or run-off primary, overwhelms me with inexpressible gratitude to each and every supporter. I thank you from the depths of my heart. I shall spare no effort to make an efficient and courteous county official that you will be proud of. At least, that is my ambition. Thanks again and with good will towards all, even those seeing fit to vote for either of my two honorable opponents, am,

Yours obediently,
(MISS) LELA COPELAND.

H. W. Henley, courteous, affable and efficient manager of the McKinney Dry Goods Co. big store in McKinney, has returned home from St. Louis where he has been purchasing stock of the finest line of goods for this big McKinney merchandise house. He is well pleased with his trip and informs us he secured a splendid line of goods for his store.

W. A. McDougal, prominent Westminster citizen, was in McKinney Monday learning the latest on election contests of Saturday. He came to McKinney with Schuyler Giles who was elected Precinct chairman of Westminster at Saturday's primary election.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(July 30, 1909.)

Misses Emma and Kate Allen are visiting Miss Ray Poole in Greenville.

R. E. Bristol, the druggist, has returned from a business visit to West Texas and New Mexico.

The home of Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Hill is being extensively remodeled and improved. Prof. Hill is superintendent of the McKinney public schools.

Mrs. Glen Stiff and daughter, Claude, returned home from a few days visit to relatives and friends at Pilot Point.

Tinnie McGown and Clarence Gates went to Bonham today to root for the McKinney baseball team which is crossing bats this afternoon with the Bonhamites.

Ladies of the City Federation of Women's clubs as announced in the Courier-Gazette yesterday have taken up the work of completing the Gov. Jas. W. Throckmorton monument enterprise. A year or two ago, Collin county's school children raised a fund for this purpose, which amounts to $89.00, now in the bank. Contributions now on hand are $100.00, City Federation; $89.00 school children; $25.00, Mrs. Sarah Howell; $10.00, miscellaneous contributions.

Miss Alla Clary, the efficient secretary of Congressman Sam Rayburn was in McKinney, Monday, en route to Bonham where she expects to remain assisting our Congressman in this district in keeping up with his official duties and general office work. The Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette acknowledge a cordial visit from her. She only recently returned to Texas fro mthe national capital at Washington, D. C., where she has been during the past six months while Congress was in session. Her home is at Prosper in West Collin. She is a sister of U. N. Clary, prominent West Collin banker. Miss Clary was born in McKinney but her family moved to Prosper a good many years ago.

Miss Lucy Smith, who has been teaching for six years in the McKinney public schools, has recently received her Bachelor of Science degree from college. Miss Lucy is a successful teacher. As such, she is aspiring to better equip herself for her profession in a constantly improving educational way.

Well attended services were held at the First Methodist church in Farmersville Sunday night, at which time Dr. Minor Bounds, pastor of the First Methodist church in McKinney, brought the address. Dr. Bounds, taking as his text Second Peter 1:5-12, spoke on "The Elements of Christian Growth." His address was interesting and uplifting and was greatly appreciated. Other members of the local First church making the trip were Hon. Horace H. Neilson, Mrs. R. G. McCain and Mrs. Lillie Emerson.

"FIFTY-NINERS" CLUB ENJOYS ICE COLD MELONS

AT FINCH PARK FRIDAY AFTERNOON; FRANK SCOTT, PRESIDENT

The fifth annual watermelon festival was held by the "Fifty-Niners" at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, July 27, in Finch park.

B. Frank Scott of McKinney, chairman, called the group to order and called on Rev. J. Ben Snider to return thanks. Rev. Mr Snider, being a guest of the occasion and not eligible for membership as he was born seven or eight years too late in life to qualify for club membership.

Mr. Scott and J. B. Cannaday had provided ten big melons that had been in cold storage for two days and nights. These were both red-meated and yellow-meated melons—sweet and luscious. All ate to their entire satisfaction, and some were left over.

Those present were B. Frank Scott, chairman of the group, who was re-elected for the ensuing year. He was born, **February 6, 1859, six miles northwest of McKinney.** He is proprietor of the Delightful Inn, a popular hotel and boarding house located on North Tennessee street. To him is largely indebted the success of the annual occasion assisted by J. B. Cannady.

W. W. Lacey, who is now living with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gaines, of Nocona, Texas, was present. He lived many years at Altoga, this county, and here in McKinney, but moved away a few months ago. He is here visiting McKinney relatives and old friends. He was born, January 5, 1859, at Cleveland, Tennessee, coming to Texas in 1875. Lived most of his life on a farm at Altoga.

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G. S. Baccus of McKinney is another active member of the group and works with B. F. Scott and J. B. Cannaday in making these watermelon feasts a success every year. He was born in the Rowlett Creek community twelve miles southwest of McKinney, May 2, 1859. His father was John Baccus, one of the several Baccus pioneer brothers, who settled on Rowlett Creek about the time that Texas changed her form of government from a Republic to statehood and about the same time that Collin county was organized 88 years ago.

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Rev. G. C. Ford, a local Methodist preacher and suburban merchant at McKinney, was born, January 3, 1859, in Clairborne county, Tennessee. He came to Texas, thirty-three years ago. He is a past Master of the McKinney Masonic lodge.

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Dr. D. E. Bridgefarmer is a practicing physician of McKinney, who was born, February 22, 1859, in Cumberland county, Kentucky. He has lived in Collin county for many years. He formerly lived in the Wilson Chapel community, where he still owns some good farm land, but has been residing in McKinney for several years.

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James Buchanan Cannady of McKinney was born, January 7, 1859, in Franklin county, Virginia. He was named in honor of President James Buchanan, the old bachelor occupant of the White House at the time of Mr. Cannaday's birth. Mr. Cannaday has been in Texas, fifty-three years. McKinney has been his home for a number of years. "Uncle Buck" Cannady is a retired farmer, who owns some good farm land. He has a host of friends and acquaintances throughout the county.

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A. G. Lowry of McKinney was born on Christmas Day, 1859, at Sparta, White county, Tennessee. He came to Texas in 1879 and is a farmer.

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Some new faces were present at the feast this year. One of them was A. E. Conyers of Plano, who was born January 9, 1859, in Sumner county, Tennessee. He first came to Texas when he was twenty-one years old, but returned to Tennessee where he lived until 1900 when he again came to Texas, settling near Plano, where he still resides. He is a retired farmer.

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Another new face in the "Fifty-Niners" organization was that of E. B. Gifford of Melissa, who was born, August 5, 1859, in Casey county, Kentucky. He came to Texas in 1908. Mr. Gifford is a respected old citizen and a long time-friend of this editor.

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Dr. C. T. Lewis, a retired Collin county farmer, large farm owner, bank director and a retired practicing physician, joined the other "Fifty-Niners," this year. He was born, November 30, 1859, in Newport, Cocke county, Tennessee. He was the youngest of ten children, of whom the late Grundy Lewis of Foote was the oldest. He was a son of Martin Lewis, who came to Texas in 1868 and settled one mile west of Rhea's Mill.

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S. H. Parris identified himself with the "Fifty-Niners" organization, this year. He was born, August 14, 1859, about three miles northeast of Van Alstyne, but has lived practically all of his life in Collin county. He lives on his farm about a mile north of Melissa on the main McKinney-Sherman Highway.

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O. F. Foster of near Anna is another new addition, this year, to the "Fifty-Niners" honorary roll. He was born, November 4, 1855. He is not eligible for actual membership but was an invited guest and greatly enjoyed the watermelon feast and social aspect of the occasion. He was born seventy-nine years ago in the same community where he is still residing.

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C. A. Cox of near Roland was born, February 11, 1859, in Ray county, Missouri. He came to Texas in 1875. He is one of the several Cox Brothers of the Roland community—all fine citizens.

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Jesse Eakle of McKinney was an invited guest of the occasion. He was born, August 2, 1858, only about four months too soon to be eligible for membership in the "Fifty-Niners" club. He was born at Blue Ridge and for about seventy-six years of his entire life he has been a resident of this county. He continued to live at Blue Ridge until a year or two ago when he built a good new home and moved to McKinney with his dear old wife.

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G. G. Jetton who lives three-quarters of a mile northwest of Westminster, was an invited guest of the occasion. In company with Mr. Eakle he attended the feast. He was born in Cannon county, Tennessee. He has lived in Texas for thirty-one years.

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Mrs. Dr. A. H. Bridgefarmer of Melissa is the only member of the fair sex who has ever attended one of these watermelon feasts of the "Fifty-Niners." She came to bring her father, S. H. Parris, and her neighbor, E. B. Gifford, two members of the club from Melissa. She is the correspondent of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette at Melissa.

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Editor Walter B. Wilson, the only "adopted son" of the club, was present again, this year. He has never missed one of these annual watermelon feasts. He is permanent secretary and reporter for the club. He has lived in McKinney for forty-four years, coming here when a school boy.

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Several familiar faces, usually seen at these annual watermelon feasts, were missing, this year. Among them was J. D. Bass, a prominent cotton man who was absent on account of illness. Uncle Johnnie Howell was also absent, as was also Joel A. Belcher.

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Members of the "Fifty-Niners" club, who have died since it was organized four years ago, are A. M. Hill, who died November 2, 1930; William H. Stout, who died November 8, 1932, and W. T. Lovell, who died in this city, nearly two years ago.

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Rev. G. C. Ford dismissed the very pleasant social gathering this year, with an unctious prayer for the good health, happiness and preservation of life and life's choicest blessings to each and every member through the ensuing year.

The Fifth Sunday Singing convention was held at Weston Sunday with an excellent attendance. Singers were present from Oklahoma, from Dallas, Denton, Grayson and all parts of Collin county. The singing was held in the Baptist church there, starting at 10:30 o'clock and lasting throughout the day. At noon, the people of Weston spread a sumptuous dinner for those attending. R. F. Williams of McKinney is president of the convention.

The Walkers Sales company of Clarkesville, who recently purchased the Mrs. W. E. Marshall ladies store, have closed out same, moving the stock and fixtures to Clarksville.

James Simpson and Hugh [illegible]derson, two young men of [illegible]Kinney, have just returned f[illegible] a 1,500 mile trip through Te[illegible] and Old Mexico. Mr. Simp[illegible] who is an employe of the lo[illegible] Southwestern Bell Telephone [illegible] and Mr. Anderson, who is [illegible] employe of the Hamilton-Patt[illegible]son Motor Co., were given va[illegible]tions at the same time this su[illegible]mer and decided to make the [illegible] together. They went by way [illegible] Galveston, Laredo and Nuevo [illegible]redo, Mexico, returning by Au[illegible] where they visited the state ca[illegible]al. An interesting feature of [illegible] trip was that they had no [illegible] trouble on the long journey.

Mrs. L. P. Coffey, Mrs. F[illegible] Coffey and Miss Hallie Co[illegible] have gone to Fort Worth. [illegible] and Mrs. L. P. Coffey are mov[illegible] to Fort Worth where Mr. Co[illegible] will be salesman for the Pig[illegible] Wiggly stores in the West T[illegible]as territory. He has been lo[illegible]ed in the Rio Grande Valley [illegible] salesman for them with he[illegible]quarters at San Antonio.

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FUNERAL OF PIONEER M'KINNEY LADY THURSDAY

Largely attended funeral services were held at the First Methodist church last Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock for the late Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, who passed away at her home, 312 North Church street at 7:45 o'clock Wednesday morning, July 25th. The deceased had been in ill health for several months and had been bedfast the past few weeks.

Her pastor, Dr. Minor Bounds, pastor of the First Methodist church this city, assisted by a former pastor, Dr. J. A. Old of Terrell, conducted the funeral services.

Interment was made in Pecan Grove cemetery with the Isaac Crouch Funeral home in charge.

The bier was covered with a profusion of beautiful floral offerings, sent by sympathizing friends of the deceased and family.

Active pallbearers were: J. W. Purcell, I. E. Reeves, Dr. D. F Houston, I. R. Dillow, Dr. L. E. Hoard., H. H. Neilson, George M. Wilson and Gibson Caldwell.

Honorary pallbearers: Sims Cameron, O. E. Hunter, Joe Dorsey, Eula Sanders, R. J. Walton, Joe E. Largent, Dr. J. W. Largent, A. H. Eubanks, Walter B. Wilson, R. M. Quisenberry, J. Frank Smith, Dr. Ben F. Largent, A. M. Scott, Add G. Wilson, E. J. Largent, W. B. Mitchell and Dr. Fitzhugh Wolford.

Leona Penola Bailey was born in Mobile, Ala., October 8, 1854, being at the time of her death 79 years, 9 months and 17 days old. At an early age she moved with her family to Texas. In 1870 she was married to John W. Hamilton, long deceased, and moved to the family home on North Church street where she had resided until her death.

She was active in the First Methodist church this city, until ill health prevented her further attendance. In fact, the old Methodist church stood for many years on the Hamilton property adjoining their present homestead.

This good Christian woman and her late husband were pioneers in the history of their church as well as in the social and civic life of our city and county. Mr. Hamilton preceded his wife to the grave in 1906. She is survived by four children as follows: J. L. Hamilton, Mrs. Daisy H. Stewart, Mrs. Roy Largent and F. B. Hamilton, all of this city. Ten grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

FUNERAL HELD IN FARMERSVILLE FOR D. F. BANDY

McKINNEY MAN, 66, DIED AT HOME HERE AFTER YEAR'S ILLNESS

Largely attended funeral services for the late David Frank Bandy, aged 66, were held in Farmersville at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning, conducted by Rev. J. R. Hilger of Greenville and Rev. G. O. Key of this city. Interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Farmersville with the Isaac Crouch Funeral home of this city in charge.

The deceased was a native of Tennessee, but had resided in this state for forty-one years, most of which time was spent in this county. He died at his home, 202 South Chestnut street, this city Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock after a year's illness of high blood pressure and other ailments. He was a member of the Baptist church.

The deceased was twice married, his first wife being Miss Minnie E. Trantham, to whom he was wed, August 1, 1888. To their union four children were born, two of whom survive as follows: Mrs. Burton Nelson of Ellsworth, Kansas, and Mrs. Eugenia Mount of Dallas. His second marriage was to Miss Flora Moody, who survives, as well as the following brothers and sisters: Claude Bandy of Princeton; Jim and Henry Bandy of McKinney; Eddy Bandy and Mrs. Lizzie Pruett of Paducah; Mrs. T. S. Jenkins of Grit, Texas. His mother, Mrs. Sarah Bandy of this city also survives. The two children who preceded him in death were Mrs. Mollie Neever of Blue Ridge and Joe Bandy of this icty.

Pallbearers were: Elzie Jenkins, Willie Jenkins, Joe Bandy, John Bandy, A. E. Trantham and Floyd Bandy.

The deceased was a man of the highest integrity, always standing high morally in his community. He was respected for his honest dealings, his word being as good as his bond. He was a devoted father, a faithful husband and a kind and sympathetic neighbor and friend. He was fair in all his dealings with mankind and the world is better by his having lived in it. He was active and faithful in his church duties, and his multitude of friends will be blessed by the memory of his noble life.

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Mrs. G. H. Hancock, native of the St. Paul community, north of Wylie, died in a Dallas hospital. She is survived by her husband and four daughters. Funeral services were held at Lavon, conducted by the Rev. T. H. Mc-[illegible] of Frisco. Interment was [illegible]

DEATH CALLS MRS. MARY ERICKSON LATE THURSDAY

WIFE OF LATE HUGH ERICKSON; FUNERAL AT ALLEN FRIDAY

Mrs. Mary Erickson, about 82 years old, wife of the late Hugh Erickson, died at the home of her oldest son, Clifford Erickson, four miles south of McKinney, Thursday afternoon at 6:20 o'clock.

Funeral services for the deceased were held last Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Christian church in Allen, of which denomination she was a member, with Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian church of McKinney, conducting the services. Burial followed in the Allen cemetery with the Perry Funeral home of Farmersville in charge.

The deceased suffered a partial stroke of paralysis about a month ago and on Monday of this week, July 23, suffered a stroke which completely paralyzed her and caused her demise. She never regained consciousness.

Miss Mary Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Brown, was born on the old Brown homestead, south of Allen. She was educated in the Allen Public schools and had lived in that section all of her life. She was married to Hugh Erickson. Four children blessed this union of whom three survive, as follows: Clifford Erickson, residing between McKinney and Allen; Eugene Erickson, residing west of Allen and Miss Ethel Erickson of San Angelo. One daughter, Ina, passed away in womanhood. Her husband preceded her to the grave several years ago. Her parents also passed away several years ago.

She was one of a family of three boys and five girls of whom five survive as follows: Henry Brown of Allen, Mrs. J. L. Angel, west of Allen; Mrs. Will Day, west of Allen; Mrs. J. Pat Moulden of Austin; Mrs. John S. Stockard of Cisco; and Mrs. W. L. Hedgcoxe, northwest of Plano.

N. D. Ready Is Grateful To Collin Voters

N. D. READY

As far as my feeble way and words will permit, I wish to express my appreciation and gratitude for the wonderful vote that I received in the primary election last Saturday, which gave me the nomination as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector of this county.

I naturally take it that the vote given me was a stamp of approval upon the service that I have striven so hard to render in the Tax Collector's Office for the past year and one half. This alone would be enough to make me feel very grateful to the people, but the fact that in so expressing yourselves at the ballot box you have selected me to serve you for the first two years in the combined office of Tax Assessor-Collector and the confidence placed in me by so doing puts me in such a position that I shall never be able to express to you how much I do appreciate the favor and how grateful I am for the confidence placed in me, and I assure you that I shall never betray that confidence.

I am not unmindful of the additional duties and responsibilities which this combined office carres, and I here and now pledge myself to try even harder, if possible, to render you the kind of service that you naturally expect of a public servant.

The duties of the office that I now hold have been such that it was impossible for me to make a house-to-house campaign such as I tried to make two years ago, but my children did try to work the county as closely as the time would permit; and I would be very ungrateful if I did not tell you that my wife and I both appreciate very much the way you received the children in your homes and your words of encouragement to them and above all the nice things said to us and to the public about them.

The children are all that we have to live and work for, and our heart's desire is that they may become citizens of the highest type who will command the respect and confidence of all who know them, and that each of them may be able to do at least something worthwhile in life. The many nice things which we have heard said about them during the campaign and when the [illegible]

to instill into their minds some of the higher ideals of life have not been altogether in vain, and our hearts are filled with joy because of that fact.

Again we thank the entire citizenship of Collin county from the very depth of our hearts [illegible]

Clyde McMahan Visits McKinney From Haskell

Tom Davis and sister, Miss Julia, of this city, have returned from a ten days' visit to their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McMahan, Route 3, Haskell, Texas. Clyde McMahan and son, Joe Alfred, brought them back to McKinney and enjoyed the big picnic for two or three days.

While here, Clyde called to renew his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription. He says that it is very dry in Haskell county, but he regards cotton in better shape there than in Collin county. He has a fifty-two acre crop this year, which is only about half as much cotton as he usually plants. He says his maize is looking very well. He has planted some late maize, hegari and feterita. Of course, rain must fall on it before it can make, for there is plenty of time to make late fall feed crops in that country. While here, Clyde visited his sisters, Mrs Leslie Shields and Mrs. C. F. Scott, and husbands and also his two brothers W. J. McMahan, who lives in Northwest McKinney and Aubrey McMahan, living on Route 1, Allen. Clyde McMahan and family formerly lived in Northwest McKinney before moving to West Texas several years ago. Clyde McMahan made an excellent citizen and a better than average farmer.

MEN INJURED BY ROCK-CRUSHING MACHINE AT PLANO

Charles Judson Barnes, 41, residing on route 1, west of McKinney, and Earl Quisenberry, 39, residing on Oak street, this city, were injured shortly before 1 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon, when a chain on the rock-crushing machine near Plano, used in good roads construction, fell, striking them in the head. They were given medical attention in Plano then brought to the McKinney City hospital in two ambulances of the Isaac Crouch Funeral home, driven by Mr. Crouch and Tom Moore.

Barnes is apparently the worse injured of the two, his injuries being regarded as serious, while Mr. Quisenberry's injuries although not so serious, were nevertheless painful.

According to co-workers of the men, the chain, which broke, fell a distance of some thirty feet before striking them.

REV. CLINKENBEARD SUNDAY EVE UNION CHURCH SPEAKER

Well attended union services of five McKinney chruches and the Melissa Christian church were held on the lawn of the First Methodist church here Sunday night. Rev. A. L. Clinkenbeard, pastor of the East McKinney Christian church and part time pastor at Melissa, was the speaker, bringing a splendid message. The East McKinney and the Melissa denominations joined with the other uniting congregations in the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley of Melissa rendered a beautiful duet during the musical portion of the services.

This was the fifth of the series of services which are being held on the lawn of the First Methodist every Sunday night.

BOLES ORPHAN HOME CHILDREN IN M'KINNEY

Nineteen children of the Boles Orphan Home, owned and operated by the Church of Christ denomination, near Quinlan, Texas, were guests in the home of the members of that church here Saturday night and Sunday, July 29. These well-trained children were in charge of C. T. McCormick. The group participated in the 11:30 o'clock service Sunday morning at the Wilcox Street Church of Christ at which hour Mr. McCormick preached.

After the services the children and Mr. McCormick were entertained at noon luncheon picnic style in beautiful Finch park. Then, at 3:00 o'clock, these fine boys and girls gave an interesting program of songs—solos, duets, quartets and choruses, at the same church, of which Prof. F. M. Scott is supply pastor.

From McKinney Sunday evening the children were taken to Greenville where they gave a program that night.

The Boles Orphan Home is an institution that commands the respect and good will of all that section of country regardless of sectarian belief.

SAM RAYBURN IS NOMINATED; 7665 MAJORITY

Returns assembled by the Bonham Daily Favorite give Rayburn a lead of 7,665 over Morris of Hunt county.

Morris carried Hunt, Kaufman and Rains counties, while Rayburn carried Fannin, Collin, Grayson and Rockwall counties.

Vote by counties is as follows:

Collin.	
Rayburn	4,259
Morris	3,587
Fannin.	
Rayburn	5,105
Morris	2,787
Grayson.	
Rayburn	8,047
Morris	2,787
Hunt.	
Rayburn	3,658
Morris	3,704
Rockwall.	
Rayburn	959
Morris	840
Rains.	
Rayburn	631
Morris	866
Kaufman.	
Rayburn	2,811
Morris	2,855
Total.	
Rayburn	25,470
Morris	17,805
Majority	7,665

The total vote of the district was 43,275.

Final Results County Election Held Saturday

Elsewhere in the Weekly Democrat-Gazette of this issue as well as in the Daily Courier-Gazette of July 31, apears a statistical table showing the county vote by boxes for the state, district and county political races.

Approximately 8,000 votes cast in the primary of Saturday, July 28—nearly as many votes as poll taxes paid.

United States Senator Tom Connally received a majority of 185 over Joseph Weldon Bailey Jr.

Attorney General James V. Allred received 3,427 votes, while his five opponents received a combined vote of 4,303 in the county.

Tom F. Hunter was runner-up or second in the race with 1,559 votes. C. C. McDonald was third getting 1,512 votes. Maury Hughes was fourth with 579. Clint Small was fifth with 374 votes. Edgar Witt was sixth with 236 votes. vote of 4,303 in the county.

The returns, as they were received Saturday night by the election bureau, in conjunction with these papers, were posted on the bulletin board just south of this office.

The large crowd that gathered was one of the most impartial and attentive ever to gather here. The Election Bureau this year was located in the business office of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, Miss Pauline Hughes, manager. The returns were lowered to the caretakers of the board below by weights and posted there. The crowd of several thousand was loath to leave and at midnight, no difference in the number could be seen. Several were still waiting for further returns at 3:00 o'clock next morning.

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Frisco First to Report.

Frisco, in the western part of the county, was the first box to report with complete returns on the Democratic primary Saturday, coming in shortly after 7:30 o'clock. But, the long ballot caused almost every box in the county to be behind their usual time in reporting and seven boxes were still missing early Monday morning. These, however, were mostly small rural boxes.

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Election Bureau Grateful.

The election bureau and these papers desire to thank all those who helped gather and announce the returns Saturday night. Leo Spillman, prominent young McKinney business man, gave valuable assistance in tabulating the returns, working with the bureau and members of this office staff from the time the polls closed at 7 o'clock until the bureau was closed for the night at 3 o'clock in the morning.

This editor met up for the first time since he came back with our longtime friend and former Spanish-American War comrade, Dunn Durrett, who recently returned from about a year's sojourn in California. Dunn went to California, primarily for his health and for sight-seeing. He is more than pleased at the beneficial results to his health. He is feeling better than he has for several years past. He spent last winter at Brawley, in the famous Imperial Valley where he slept out on an open porch in perfect comfort at night. He spent the spring and early summer days at Watsonville, in Santa Cruz county, located about 365 miles northwest of Los Angeles. He stayed within four miles of the beach. He says that he went to Watsonville in April. It is a paradoxical statement, but he says that it is [illegible] ter months.

Mr. Durrett says that California is fully entitled to its reputation of being a wonder state in many respects. It is a sight-seer's paradise and stands in the forefront of progress and enterprise.

Mr. Durrett is the father of Clay and L. T. Durrett, who are suburban grocerymen on South Tennessee street.

W. R. WEBB AND WIFE ATTEND BIG PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Webb, who live on their farm at Graybill, in Northeast Collin, attended the first day of the big McKinney Picnic and ex-Confederates Reunion this year. They were guests at the dinner given by the Daughters of the Confederacy in honor of the old Confederate veterans, their wives, and widows. Mr. and Mrs. Webb had attended the eighty-sixth birthday anniversary at the Old Settlers' Park in Sherman Sunday of Mrs. Lucy Elliott, one of Grayson county's oldest women.

Daughter of Carey and Emily Watson, Mrs. Elliott was born in Bowie County. She moved with her parents to Grayson county in 1850 and lived there until she was married to Joseph Elliott in 1864. Four sons and four daughters are living. Mrs. Elliott resides with her daughter, Mrs. W. L. McNeely of Sherman.

Attending the birthday celebration were R. A. Elliott, J.W. Elliott and Mrs. W. A. Elliott and children, Kiowa, Okla.; C. E. Elliott and family, and Mrs. Lizzie Canada and daughter, Oklahoma city; C. E. Webb and family, Longview; Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Webb and Weldon Webb, Dallas.

M. D. Reynolds and daughter, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Webb and W. W. Judd and family, Anna; Pete Selb and family, Miss Aubrey McNeely, L. M. Marr and W. L. Elliott and family, Mr. and family, C. M. Elliott and family, Mrs. J. L. Elliott, Van Alstyne; Mrs. R. L. Tolbert and sons, Spur, and Mrs. Nannie Webb, W. L. McNeely and family, Mrs. Lucy Neil Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Elliott and Mrs. Lucy Elliott, Sherman.

INTERURBAN TO LEAVE DALLAS 11 P. M. DAILY

H. C. McIntosh, assistant general passenger agent of the Texas Electric Railway, was in the office today and announced that since the Dallas highway has been torn up necessitating a detour between Dallas and McKinney they have had numerous requests from patrons living at Plano, Allen and McKinney for a late car out of Dallas. Since the Interurban is always anxious to please and furnish service where needed, beginning Saturday, August 4th, they will operate a car, Dallas to McKinney, leaving Dallas each night at 11:00 p. m. Mr. McIntosh advises that this car is being put on for a trial period and the permanence of the service will depend upon whether there is a real demand for the car.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(July 26, 1909.)

Clint Edwards went to Celina today to accept a position as printer on the Celina Record.

R. G. (Bob) Hendricks has sold his farm at Como, Hopkins county, and is moving back to Collin. Welcome, Bob.

Sheriff George Eubanks came in today from Farmersville, having in custody William Lang, known as "Pone" Lang, aged about 35, who is wanted at Guntersville, Alabama, to answer a charge of murder.

Miss Patsy Hughes of this city has been elected teacher of the Art Department of the North Texas Baptist Academy, at Westminster, for the ensuing year. Miss Patsy is a natural artist, devoted to its study and teaching. Another young McKinney lady, Miss Bessie Crouch, has been elected teacher of the Department of Music in the same school for next year.

Hon. M. D. Brown of Plano lay leader of the McKinney District, occupied the pulpit for Rev. W. D. Thompson at the First Methodist church in this city last night. He was introduced by Hon. Wallace Hughston, lay leader of that church. Mr. Brown is a fluent speaker. He is a brother of County Attorney George P. Brown.

The type, presses and other machinery and equipment of the old McKinney Enquirer office is being moved by Capt. John H. Bingham from one of his brick buildings on West Louisiana street to a new sheet-iron building that he erected near his home on South Chestnut street. Capt. Bingham published the McKinney Enquirer here for about thirty years, suspending the paper in June, 1896. The new creamery is being installed in the [illegible]

ALLRED'S LEAD OVER HUNTER INCREASES

Tabulations by the Election Bureau show Attorney General James V. Allred continuing to increase his lead over Tom F. Hunter, in the race for the gubernatorial nomination. With 845,818 votes counted in the governor's race from 248 counties, including 124 complete, Allred's vote was 252,063 to Hunter's 203,759, a lead of 48,304. The other candidates in this contest were listed as follows: McDonald 177,260; Small 106,302; Witt 53,189; Hughes 48,108.

Additional tabulation showed Lon Smith, chairman of the railroad commission, leading John Pundt of Dallas, who will be his opponent in the run-off for membership in the commission, by 34,419 votes. The figures were: Smith 216,532; Pundt 182,113. Other candidates in this contest polled in this count as follows: Hatcher 155,707; McNees 60,504 Johnson 114,164.

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Congressional Race.

Fourth District returns show Representative Sam Rayburn with the nomination apparently in the bag. He has increased his lead over Jesse Morris of Greenville to 7,058. The vote follows:

Fourth district, seven counties. —Returns from seven counties, three complete; Rayburn 22,777, Morris 15,719.

FARM ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE IS NAMED BY AGENT

According to County Farm Agent Jack P. McCullough, the committee for the handling of farm allotments under the Bankhead bill for Collin county has been named as follows: W. M. Gibson, chairman; Chandler Atkinson and E. H. Bush.

They have been appointed county committeemen for Collin county and are now located in the county agent's office where they are passing on all farm allotments given farmers of this county under the Bankhead bill.

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Advisory Committee.

The Advisory committee is composed of Henry W. Warden, chairman; J. H. Merritt and Dr. W. T. Hoard. This committee will continue in an advisory capacity for all agricultural work under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

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Rev. W. D. Darnell of Kansas is engaged in a protracted meeting at the Christian church at Weston which church he organized about twenty years ago. The meeting, which is being largely attended, is scheduled to run through next week. On last Sunday night the attendance was in the neighborhood of seven or eight hundred. Rev. Mr. Darnell is a brother of Mrs. George P. Brown of McKinney. He is a noted preacher of the Diciples of Christ, of which church his father, the late Eld. J. R. Darnell, was pioneer minister and leader. Rev. J. R. Darnell settled in the Cottage Hill community of this county many years ago. He is one of our county's most revered pioneer ministers, educators and farmers.

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Made up of various kinds of materials, in Flat Crepes, Printed Crepes, Whites and Pastel Colors. Some with Jackets. Former values up to $4.98. Now selling for—

$1.00

Group 2—
FOUR DOZEN DRESSES

Of Eyelet Batiste and Lace in colors of Brown, Navys, Maize, Pink and Blues, formerly selling to $4.98, now—

$1.89

Group 3—

A better quality of Lace and Eyelet Batiste Dresses in all the wanted colors. Values to $5.95, your choice now—

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Shop early as sizes are limited.

We are making further reductions through out the store, on all Summer merchandise.

Perkins Bro's
COMPANY

News Items From Over Collin County And Surrounding Territory

MELISSA

Mrs. Ethel Bridgefarmer

Miss Madeline Lindsey is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shipman of McKinney visited her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Corn, here.

The picnic in McKinney has been taking crowds of our folks every day and night.

Mrs. Everett Gifford of Kansas City is here on a visit to her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gifford.

Mrs. H. T. Leigh is in San Antonio with her brother, H. H. Ogilvie for an operation. Word received here was that she was doing fine.

Mrs. Callie Harpole has gone to Dallas to live with her children, Mrs. Nettie Odell and Mrs. Carrie Dooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsell Davis and son of Dallas attended the candidate speaking here Tuesday night.

The Garden club sold cream cones, and drinks at the candidate speaking Tuesday night. A neat sum was realized.

The vacation school that was held in the Baptist church all week came to a close Saturday night with a program.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haley of McKinney visited her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Ogilvie, and husband, one evening recently.

Mrs. George McCoy and Mrs. Clyde Todd of Blue Ridge were here Tuesday afternoon in the interest of a candidate from their home town.

S. H. Parris and E. B. Gifford went to McKinney Friday afternoon where they attended the "Fifty-Niners' 'watermelon feast at Finch park.

Harry Lair Jr. of Thornberry, near Wichita Falls, is here on a visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nicholson and family.

Mrs. Stella Duke who visited her sister, Mrs. W. B. Abernathy near Donna, has returned home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggard Rutledge, Mrs. Ted Rutledge and baby son, Richard, and Dot Evans, all of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, spent Friday night and Saturday here, visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Bridgefarmer. Mrs. Haggard Rut-Rutledge is a sister of Dr. Bridgefarmer.

Miss Beatrice Porter with her nephews and nieces, Cecil and William Porter, and Misses Thelma Elizabeth and Alice Porter spent several days in West Texas visiting her sister, Mrs. Lee Ormond, and husband, at Floydada, and also other relatives.

Candidate speaking always attracts a large well behaving crowd here. Speaking was done from big community tabernacle stage and with plenty of seats for the listeners and a loudspeaker in use. Each candidate got his speech over nicely.

Misse Evelyn and Geneva Cope of Shawnee, Oklahoma, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nicholson and family. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cope who have visited with Mrs. Cope's parents and other relatives here several days have returned home, leaving their daughter here for a more extended visit.

Miss Dorothy Jo Lindsey was entertained in her home here with a birthday party Saturday afternoon in honor of her eleventh birthday. Miss Dorothy Jo received quite a few nice gifts. The guests who helped her enjoy her birthday were: John Marshall Leigh, Noel Bell, John Stephens, Wilburn Stephens, Clyde Wallis, George Cave, Chas. Houston Graves, Russell Dickenson, Bobby Ogilvie, Jack Graves, Jewel Craft, Morris Lindsey, Gladys Mills, Mary Roberts, Mary Helen Porter, Buddy Graves, Bill Starnes, Billy Knox, Glen D. Porter, Claud Robison Jr., Jettie Bell Wynn, Oneta Mayes, Margaret Ruth Gibson, Mildred Cave, Freda Graves, Nathalie Hume, Virginia Graves, Juanita Robinson, Jewel Loftice, Oleta Loftice and the honoree.

FRISCO

G. W. Sapp has been confined to his bed for the past few days.

Pat Harrison of Waco visited friends during the week-end.

Miss Leonora Kerley of Dallas is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Lee Sapp.

Henderson Malone spent a few days at Big Sandy the first of the week.

Miss Izetta Sparks and Miss Powell Key of Sherman are vacationing in the Ozark Mountains in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Hill visited Miss Juanita Hill who has been quite ill in a Dallas hospital Sunday. Miss Hill is reported as improving.

Miss Madge Smith entertained her Sunday school class at her home last Thursday evening. Refreshments were served to the following members and guests: [illegible] Miller, Gilbert Wood, Claude Rogers Jr., W. O. Hill, Harold Lane, Dexter and Donald Elliott, Homer B. Johnson, Troy Straughn, S. J. [illegible] of Houston, LeRoy McLendon of Port Neches and Anna Marie Wood.

The 77th birthday of J. A. [illegible] was celebrated at his home Sunday. The following children and grandchildren were present: Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cole of Gunter; Mrs. Truman [illegible] of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Carter Fisher and daughter, Mary Celesta; Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and children.

W. H. Smith and daughters, Miss [illegible] and Mrs. Charlene [illegible] of Houston, Miss [illegible] and Willie Wood left Saturday for a visit to the Chicago fair.

The two weeks revival meeting which was held at the Baptist church closed Sunday morning. Fourteen were baptized at the morning service and received into the church. Also several were received on letter. The preaching was don by the Rev. Claude Johnson of Sherman, assisted by the pastor, Rev. T. H. McSpedden who also led the singing. Miss Thelma Coffey was pianist.

A union revival of the Christian and Methodist churches began Sunday. The preaching will be done by the pastors, Rev. Granville Walker of Fort Worth and Rev. Ben Bell. Services will be held on the lawn of the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks had the following guests Saturday: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Greer, Olney; Mrs. Will Christie and two children of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Harthcock, Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Saye visited the latter's ssiter, Mrs. Minnie Thompson at Whitesboro Sunday. Mrs. Thompson has been quite ill but is somewhat improved.

Betty Sue, three and half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs Francis Marion, died Sunday morning at 4 o'clock in a Dallas hospital. The child became ill last Tuesday and was removed to the hospital Sunday where she died Sunday. The remains were brought to the Byrum Funeral home and prepared for burial. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Monday at 9 o'clock. Rev. Ben Bell assisted by Rev. S. W. Miller and Rev. T. H. McSpedden officiated. Burial was made at Allen. Besides her parents, she is survived by a six year old brother, James, and both maternal and paternal grandparents and a host of other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McConnel and daughter, Miss Louise, and Miss Marcile Gunstream returned Friday from a trip to Arkansas. The young ladies attended the Methodist training school at Mt. Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Ark., where Miss McConnell was pageant director.

ARDATH

Mrs. Jess Bates

Several from here have been attending the meeting at Princeton.

Mrs. Jim Gunter and children have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Green Swindle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Will Gerron had as their guests recently Mrs. John Lawson, Mrs. Ernest Dowdy of McKinney.

Mrs. S. B. Vermillion has returned from Florida. She enjoyed her trip very much, but said she was in a lot of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bates had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Bates and daughter, Miss Dorothy, and grandson, Alton Taylor Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallis and Herschel Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. Son Henderson and baby, Betty Jo, and Dowell Bates of Altoga; Choice Bate sof Wylie; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walker of Altoga.

WARDEN

Cor. Mrs. Geo. Medcalf

Louise Bray of Van Alstyne spent last week with Nell Selph.

Mr. and Mrs. George Medcalf spent Sunday afternoon with Mr and Mrs. Hack Phillips.

Mrs. John Minton and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Maggie Fletcher and family.

Miss Maggie Lee Minton spent last week with Mrs. May Cripps in Sedalia.

Misses Mary Bell and Jack Minton spent last wee kat Melissa with relatives.

Clyde Minton of Dallas and Carl Minton attended the picnic Tuesday night.

Clyde Minton of Dallas is spending his vacation here with his mother, Mrs. John Minton, and family.

Mrs. McNew of South Texas is visiting her daughters Mesdames Abb Phillips and Jim Reed and families.

Cleburne Rollins of Celina spent Thursday night here with Mr. and Mrs. George Medcalf and also attended the McKinney picnic Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mable Selph spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Beulah Kemp and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hack Phillips spent last week in McKinney visiting relatives and attending the picnic.

Those attending G. E. Medcalf's birthday dinner at Elmont last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortner and family, Mr. and Mrs Geo. Medcalf and family, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Medcalf and family of Anna; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Medcalf, Mrs. Dan Rollins of Celina; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stroud, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. John McFerrin, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McFerrin, Mrs. Mittie Davis and little daughter, Doramay, of Anna; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Medcalf and children of Durant, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Medcalf of Hendrix, Okla.; James Gunlin of Caddo, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fielder and son, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fielder of Sherman; Mrs. Lena Lambden of Blue Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. Hartless and children of Arnold; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Moses and children of Melissa; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rollins and little daughter of Van Alstyne. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Medcalf's 78th birthday. A sumptuous dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour.

NEW LIFE

Mrs. Jack Airhart

Several from here are attending the picnic this week.

Miss Eva Lou Airhart spent the week-end with Miss Leuna Price at Chambliss.

Mrs. Rexrose of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cliff Headrick and family this week.

A. L. Farley of McKinney is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Airhart and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stroup and daughter of Paris visited his mother, Mrs. O. J. Stroup and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stroup and son spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Monroe Todd of Westminster.

Mrs. Harry Duncan of McKinney spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Headrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Stewart are the proud parents of a fine baby boy. They have named him Gary Wayne.

Miss Ouida Fay and Leida Ruth Watkins of McKinney visited their cousins, Misses Marguerite and Kathleen Cameron last week.

Porter and Forest Cameron and Arlin King, Clyde Lacy and Ray Stevenson have returned home after a week's visit in Arkansas, Louisiana and Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson and children, and Wanda Airhart and Virtrese Richardson and family spent last week at Sulphur, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ward and little son and Mrs. O. J. Stroup attended the Stroup reunion at Finch park at McKinney Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallis of Wylie attended the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Wallis, who is ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bunk Airhart. Mrs. Wallis fell and hurt her leg some weeks ago.

Little Samuel Rodgers, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rogers got first and sweepstakes prizes for being the prettiest baby at the baby show during the picnic at McKinney.

Miss Francis and Evelyn Stapp of Valdasta spent the week-end with Misses Eva Lou, Babe and Jessue Airhart and attended the picnic at McKinney Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stewart, Mrs. Weldon Reed and children, Mrs. Onie Farley of Altoga visited Mr. and Mrs. George Porter Sunday.

Miss Othel Green of Valdasta is attending the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. John Airhart, who was operated on at the City hospital at McKinney some two weeks ago.

DUMP

Catherine Morris

The St. Paul church has been repainted.

Mrs. S. W. Smith went to Ferris Thursday.

Mrs. Raymond Eves has been on the sick list.

Miss Florence Hawks of Fate is visiting Mrs. J. O. Seeley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seeley were McKinney visitors Monday.

Miss Ruth James of Wylie has been spending a fe wdays with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hackler.

Mrs. Marie Holmes and children spent Wednesday visiting Mildred and Catherine Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Heifner were McKinney visitors Wednesday.

Several from here have been attending the meeting at Lucas and Wylie.

Miss Bertha Lee Watkins and James Isom of Plano visited Mr. and Mrs. Isom Thursday.

Miss Inez Jones of McKinney is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Isom and son visited Mr. and Mrs. John Isom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Watson and children visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hackler were bedtime visitors of J. O. Morris Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Seeley and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. John Seeley Friday.

Raymond Smith, Mrs. J. W. Hackler, Miss Ruth James and Catherine Morris were McKinney visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seeley, J. O. Morris and daughter, Catherine attended the singing at Fate Sunday.

Miss Ruth Belmyer left Tuesday for Texarkana where she will attend the mail carriers convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Seely and family of Heath, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seely, Sunday.

J. G. Misenheimer has returned home after a week's visit with relatives at Fate and Rockwall, Texas.

Misses Fannie Mae Green and Hazel Hawks of Fate spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seeley.

Raymond Smith has been directing the singing at Pleasant Valley during a week's revival for Bro Drew.

Mrs. Pearl Hawks and daughter, Florence, Evelyn and Junior Payne of Fate visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seeley Sunday evening.

Wade Canup of Rockwall and Clifford Windfrey of Dallas visited Miss Hazel Hawks and Fannie Mae Green, at Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seeley's Sunday night.

Read the classifieds.

LOVEJOY

Miss Roby Nelson

Lloyd Watson of McKinney visited home folks here recently.

Bill Nobblet of Bishop was in our community Friday.

Miss Georgia Martin spent Sunday with Mrs. Janie Brooks.

Tom Brown and family of near Plano spent one day last week with relatives here.

Mrs. C. H. S. Martin visited her sister, Mrs. T. G. Snider of McKinney Saturday.

Several from here have been attinging revival meeting at Spring Hill and Lucas.

George Nelson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Cecil Spencer of near Plano.

Mrs. Donnie Watson was in the Bishop community one day last week.

Milt Whisenant and Ed Melton of Allen were in our community Sunday afternoon.

Dr. M. O. Perry of Allen made a professional call here Sunday afternoon.

Fred Petway, wife and little daughter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Barry.

Miss Marie Barry entertained a crowd of young folks with a party last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Spurgin spent last week in Dallas as guests of Nick Dotson and wife.

James Boyd of Murphy was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. S. Bedell.

Miss Frances Welch spent the week-end with the Misses Masengales of Blythe Chapel.

Gene Ereckson, wife and children of Allen visited relatives here Saturday.

Travis and Clarence Underwood of Denton county are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Underwood.

Mrs. Sarahlisa Holomon of McDonald was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. P. E. Strickland and daughter.

Price Strickland of this place is helping Bro. Luther Greer in a meeting at Spring Hill. Mrs Strickland is leading the singing.

Mrs. R. T. Bedell, who is attending N. T. S. T. C. Denton spent the week-end with her husband and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nelson of McKinney spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Nelson.

Mrs. Mary Ereckson of Allen is ill at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ereckson.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Brooks attended the funeral of a relative which was held at Wilson Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Gerald Snider of McKinney spent a few days here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Nelson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynge of Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Hedgcoxe also of Allen visited Mrs. Mary Ereckson last Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Hedgcoxe being a sister of Mrs. Ereckson.

A two weeks revival closed at the Baptist church July 15. There were twenty-nine additions to the church, twenty of this number were for Baptism. Bro. Luther Greer of Murphy did the preaching.

FOREST GROVE

Mrs. E. W. Killian

Mrs. P. S. Strickland spent Sunday with Mrs. R. C. Barry.

Mrs. R. C. Barry has been on the sick list last week.

Mrs. E. W. Killian and sons attended church in Wylie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Swindle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rose.

James Boyd of Murphy visited his sister, Mrs. R. T. Bedell Sunday.

Roy Wall of Dallas has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burnard Spurgin.

Edd Munger of Bristow, Okla., has been visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. W. M. Moore.

Miss Eleanor Tinsley of McKinney spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Mozelle Spurgin.

The Baptist church at this place has just closed a successful revival.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Deal are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Atchley of Lucas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin and Raymond Nix of Denison were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Barry.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaf Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Agnew of Murphy were visiting in our community Sunday night.

Della Fae Spurgin, Vivian Bedell and Doris Gene Graham visited Dorothy Spurgin of McKinney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Copus and family visited their son, Wade Copus and family at Viney Grove Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Emory Releford, a nine pound boy on July 12. He has been named Karl Roy. Mrs. Releford wes before her marriage Miss Myrtle Bridges.

Clarence and Travis Underwood of Ponder are visiting in the home of their uncle, Roy Underwood and wife and also other friends. They formerly lived here.

Miss Arzalee Snider had as her guest Sunday night Misses Mary Katherine Snider and Eloise Crump, and Homer E. Bomar and J. B. Crump, all of McKinney.

Little Misses Vivian Bedell and Della Fay Spurgin spent the week-end at Murphy as the guest of the former's grandmother, Mrs. E. S. Boyd.

Mrs. Clarence Stockwell and little son, James Wylie, of McKinney spent the week-end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Funderburgh.

Mrs. John Wesley Keroy of Clay county is visiting in the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. D. Kerby. Her brother, Homer Wetsel, accompanied her on visit here.

The Christian church will hold its annual protracted meeting beginning first Sunday in August. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Christian and daughter, Miss Helen and Miss Esta Hatcher of Byers visited their aunt, Mrs. R. E. Deal, one night and day last week. They were returning to their home after an extended tour of West and South Texas. Also points in Old Mexico. They report crops burned up along their entire route.

On July 2nd. little Billie Ray Spurgin entertained a large number of his little friends in honor of his seventh birthday. A very delightful afternoon was spent in playing games. Many attractive gifts were presented to Billie as an expression of the esteem in which his young friends held him. Delicious refreshments were served consisting of cake and lemonade. Billie Roy is the manly little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Spurgin. Those attending the enjoyable occasion were: Dorotha Spurgin, McKinney; Sonny Stout, Frisco; Frances Snider, McKinney; Imogene Funderburgh, Doris Gene Graham, J. C. True, Malcom Leo Peawty, Byron Ray Rose, Vivian Bedell, James Louis and Clarence Killian, Geraldine and Dudley Kerby, Oleona, Dorothy and James Martin, Bennie Roy and Nettie Beth Strickland.

ANNA

Miss Lula Estep

G. W. Farrar of Dallas is the guest of Arbie Brinlee.

Miss Opal Ivey of near Blue Ridge is visiting relatives here and at Melissa.

A. C. Brown and W. M. Estep spetn the week-end with relatives at Purcell, Okla.

Miss Bonnye Hughes of Dallas was a guest of friends here Monday.

Miss Violet Joyce Crouch of McKinney visited Misses Peggy and Betty Giles last week.

S. C. Pool and Miss Anna Lou Powell visited friends and relatives at Dustin, Okla., last week.

Mrs. Oran Lair is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Hunter, at Shreveport, La.

A Methodist revival meeting is being held at Westminster by Rev. Roy Patton. Ray Patton is in charge of song services.

Mrs. A. W. Powell, who has been suffering from an attack of ptomaine poisoning is better at this writing.

Miss Dora Dean Smith of Dallas was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Bryan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Roper of Houston spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Roper.

Misses Ray Dell Johnson and Jacqueline Coffey of Denison visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and Mrs. Vorilla Rampey last week.

Pat Estep has returned from a two weeks' visit in Kentucky, Tennessee and Virgiina. He reports crop conditions and that they do not need rain at the points he visited.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Jim Murray which occurred last week at Ector. Mr. and Mrs. Murray formerly lived here.

FOOTE

Mrs. J. E. Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Branch are the proud parents of a baby son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nash were visiting in Dallas Friday.

Mrs. Clay Tarpley is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Ed Cashon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barlow and children left last week for Colorado and Wyoming.

Miss Emma Lou Lane of Prosper visited Miss Mary Blanche Smith recently.

Several from here attended the revival that is in progress at Liberty Sunday night.

Mrs. J. D. Settle and daughter, Jimmie Jean, of McAlister, Okla., have been visiitng here.

Miss Annie Chesney of this community and Oscar Proffitt of Bloomdale were married recently at the home of Rev. Greggs at McKinney.

James Roy Malone, little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Malone, is visiting in Sangor at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Marion.

Miss Margaret Chandler has gone to California to spend several weeks visiting her uncle and aunt, Billie Duncan, and Mrs. Nina Mae Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker of Childress are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. J. E. Smith, and family. They are en route to Bryan, Texas, to attend the short course at A. & M. college.

Mrs. Roy Archer and children have returned to their home at Quanah after a nextended visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carrol. Her sister, Miss Vesta Carrol, accompanied her home for a several weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith and daughter, Mary Blanche, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker of Childress and Miss Emma Lou Lane of Prosper attended the dinner given Tuesday in honor of the ex-Confederates by Scott-Dixon chapter U. D. C. at McKinney.

List your property for sale or exchange with the McKinney Realty Co.

VALDASTA

Miss Yvonne Ramsey

Miss Edith Rich is ill at this writing.

Mrs. Jim Templeman is ill with the flu.

W. W. Noles and daughter, Vera, left Thursday for Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burrell Roper of Anna visited Mrs. W. W. Noles Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alexander of McKinney visited his mother, Mrs. Alice Alexander Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Cantrell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Combest Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs. Louis Combest returned Monday after visiting her brother in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Otis Duvall of McKinney spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Osburn.

Miss Adeline Rich of Houston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eva Passmore.

Mrs. Lester Greer of New Life is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Alice Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis and daughter, Joy Lee, of Sherman, have been visiting John H. Goodwin and family.

Rolene Weaver of Leonard and Clem Alexander of this place will leave for the World's fair, Wednesday, July 25.

Mr. Mrs. H. R. Gray and son, Macky and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McTee of Barnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Madden of Nobility.

Mr. and Mrs. George McGuffey and daughter, Wanda, visited Mr. and Mrs. John McGuffey of Frognot Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dent and children of Altoga were bedtime visitors of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ramsey Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson and grandson, Dude and Mrs. Flonnie Emerson and children of Sulphur Springs are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Alexander and son, Clifton, of Donna and Lloyd Alexander of Valdasta visited Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hatfield and children of East Texas last week.

The Saturday night guests of Miss Faye and Yvonne Ramsey were Delmer Stevenson and Paula Stewart of Dallas; Miss Adeline Rich of Houston, Dude Emerson of Sulphur Springs and Geraldine and Hershal Farley of Altoga.

MANTUA

Miss Marie Hamilton

Mrs. Bill Lindsey is visiting in Temple with relatives and friends.

Mr. Hamilton is on the cotton line-up, measuring cotton ground.

Mrs. Watson is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Watson.

Roy Carter spent the week-end in McKinney visiting relatives.

N. E. Hamilton and Marie Hamilton spent Thursday in Weston.

Miss Marie Hamilton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Louise Curruth of Warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hamilton and Marie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Francis and family near Gunter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stambaugh and little daughter, Polly Marie, of Celina spent Sunday with Mrs. Stambaugh's mother, Mrs. E. S. Carter and family.

Miss Helen Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Bertie and Lorene Watson of Kelley.

Miss Marie Hamilton spent last week in Sherman visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Euegne Haggard.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hamilton and Marie were businuess visitors in McKinney and Weston Tuesday.

Mrs. Watson, mother of Orval Watson, has gone to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Myers of near Melissa.

Bill Lindsey has purchased a new farmall. Seems as if he intends to go after the Johnson grass right.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and daughter, Marie, and Miss Polly Carter, attended the picnic in McKinney Thursday night.

Word has been received here of the critical condition of Morris Watson of Kelley commnnity. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and chudren, Helen, J. W., Norman, Peggy, Pearl and Thomas Clell, were bedtime visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson of Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Stambaugh and little daughter, Polly Marie, have returned to their home near Celina after spending several days with Mrs. Carter and family.

Mrs. E. S. Carter and daughters, Misses Mamie, Ilma and Polly Carter spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Stambaugh and little daughter, Polly Marie, of near Celina. All attended the Gunter picnic.

MILLWOOD

Miss Johnnie Boyce

Elton Crenshaw of Wylie visited Miss Mary Boyce Sunday.

Miss Mary Boyce visited Miss Oleta and Joe Denman Monday.

Tilman Boyce visited Harry Denman Wednesday night.

Mrs. Effie Faris is visiting in Lavon.

Mrs. Harry Denman, who has been very ill is improving.

Miss Leola Preston visited in Rockwall the past week.

Miss Ruth Flanagan is visiting in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman [illegible] visited in Lavon Sunday.

Tilman Boyce of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Heggue Lofland spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce.

Miss Rozell Huffman visited Mr. and Mrs. John Huffman Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Watkins and family visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce recently.

Little Wanda Jean Spearman and Mary Lain Daniels visited Miss Mary Boyce Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman and Mrs. Dillard Huffman visited Mrs. Harry Denman Monday evening.

Miss Bessie and Reath Stewart has been visiting in Clearlake the past week.

Mrs. Wood Preston and children visited Mrs. Jim King Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lerdy Smith spent Wenesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Feagin.

Little Miss Reta Joe Benman of Lavon spent Saturday night and Sunday with her cousin, Joe Evelyn Denman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huffman and daughter of Nevada spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Spearman and daughter and son, Billy Ray and Wanda Jean, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Danials.

THOMPSON

Miss Louise Talley, Cor.

Clark Akin of Culleoka was in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hutson visited her sister, Mrs. Mart Akin one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Selman spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother near Farmersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rastus Richardson and children were McKinney visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burnett and little son, Jr., were McKinney visitors Wednesday.

Bennett Dove of Midway spent Tuesday night with Willie B. Talley.

Clark Lewis spent Saturday and Sunday with Bill Bralley of Mesquite.

Mrs. Carl Jordan and children of Mesquite spent Saturday with Mrs. B. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson of McKinney were Thompson visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitsell were Farmersville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Mart Akin and children spent Saturday with Mrs. Frank Brown.

Quite a few from here attended the McKinney picnic last week.

Mrs. Clark Akin and daughter, Maurine, of Culleoka, spent Thursday with Mrs. B. Talley.

Mrs. W. H. Burnett was called to East Texas on account of illness of one of her grandsons.

Mrs. Mae Evans of Dallas is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. B. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Shipps and children visited her mother, Mrs. J. J. Hood of Farmersville Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jordon and children of Mesquite spent Friday night with her brother, Mart Akin, and wife.

Miss Maurine Akins, Louise Talley, spent last week-end with her sister, Mrs. Jessie Lee Smith of Copeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Burnett of Mesquite, visited their mother, Mrs. B. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Darland and family spent last week in McKinney with their daughter, Mrs. Pearl Hamill, and attended the picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rains and little daughter, Wilma Jo, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilborn and children of Mesquite, left this week for South Texas to be gone a week or ten days.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, Judge.
Mrs. Eual Ford, Deputy.
L. A. Sears, Clerk.
W. C. Dowdy, County Attorney.
Leon Moses, Assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, Assistant

New Suits

C. N. Malone vs. W. A. Massie et al, debt and foreclosure.

S. E. Johnson et vir vs. A. L. Johnson et al, cancellation of deeds.

Susie Chandler vs. J. W. Chandler, divorce.

J. C. Stewart vs. B. Price, suit on note.

Mirtie Jones vs. Ted Jones, divorce.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Hon. J. Frank Harrington Judge.
Mrs. Pearl Strother, Clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, Chief Deputy.

Probate

Tom L. Cloyd has made application for letters of administration of estate of Mrs. T. J. Cloyd, deceased.

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Marriage License

Otera Williams and Irene Wall

W. B. Fryar and Dorothy Harrison.

Ed O'Dell and Willie Mae Perkins.

Rex B. Stewart and Jennie Ruth Harvey.

O. C. Edward and Emma Mae Hurley.

Martin Peterson and Willie Mae Braswell.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, Constable.
Bill Herndon, Deputy.

The Constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week with pleas of guilty: Two for drunkenness, four for affray; one for gambling; three for disturbance; one for violation of traffic law; one for assault; charges filed against two men for possession of liquor—one party released on bond, the other one still in jail.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NEWS

G. J. S. Walker, Sheriff.
Jim Douglass, Office Deputy.
George Eubanks, Riding Deputy.
A. G. Sparlin, Special Deputy.
Stony Allen, Jailer.

The Sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed and pleas of guilty in Justice Court; One for assault; two for drunkenness; two for gambling; one for disturbance; one for vagrancy; charges filed against two boys for possession and transporting liquor—bond made.

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Vital Statistics.

Erwin Craus, local Registrar of Vital Statistics, urges all physicians and other attendants to file promptly records of births and deaths. The monthly vital stattistic report will appear next week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who were so kind to us in the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Forshee. May God's richest blessings be yours.

HER CHILDREN.

J. R. Lindsey, a well-known farmer of the Bloomdale community, remains very sick at his farm home. He was operated on for appendicitis about a month ago and apparently had about recovered from that operation but trouble developed in his leg, which is badly swollen and very painful, so his neighbor, Allison Crank, tells this editor. Mr. Lindsey is chairman of the County Republican Executive committee.

ANNOUNCING

Mrs. M. D. Bailey wishes to announce the opening of her ladies'

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AT CANNING EMONSTRATION HELD AT PLANO

demonstration of meat can- was given Monday, July 23, lano, at which nearly 300 ainers of beef were put up by plant there, which is one of five such equipments located the county that are con- ng food for the benefit of work of the county under . Bickers of McKinney, coun- dministrator of the Federal State relief organization. owever, these canning plants under the supervision of Miss n Dunlap, county home dem- ation agent, with Mrs. Mat- Carter, of Frisco, as supervi- over these plants in Collin ty.

unty Farm Agent Jack P. ulloough was present and con- d a demonstration on meat ng for the benefit of those attending.

Employes of the Plano relief office honored those present with a barbecue noonday meal served in the pretty Haggard park of Plano. These employes of the Plano relief office are: O. Ray Brown, supervisor; Miss Aline Mayes, F. V. Wofford, J. W. Housewright and Mrs. N. D. Lynge, local plant supervisor.

Among those present were:

H. B. Bickers, McKinney, Texas.

Rob Roy Moulden, McKinney, Texas.

A. M. Braswell, McKinney, Texas.

Calain Davis, Celina, Texas.

Mrs. Claude Duvall, Celina, Texas.

Mrs. Pink Hendrix, Farmersville, Texas, superevisor.

T. R. Rerbral, Farmersville, Texas.

Mrs. Mattie A. Carter, Frisco, Texas.

Miss Helen Dunlap, McKinney, Texas.

Jack McCullough, McKinney, Texas.

Mrs. D. S. Coleman, Wylie, Texas.

Miss Gertrude Arnold, Anna, Texas.

W. W. McCreary, Wylie, Texas.

Mrs. N. P. Lynge, Plano, Texas.

C. W. Schimelpfenig, Plano, Texas.

W. J. Robbins, Plano, Texas.

M. Foreman, Plano, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Wofford, Plano, Texas.

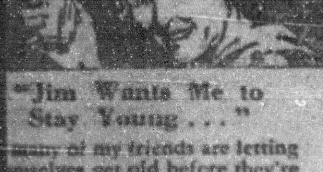
Mrs. Charlie Mayes, Plano, Texas.

Aline Mayes, Plano, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Ray Brown and daughters, Plano, Texas.

J. W. Housewright, Plano, Texas.

Tom R. Fielder, 58, dropped dead at Farmersville at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon of heart failure. He had been a resident of Farmersville fifteen years and was a life insurance salesman. He is survived by his son, Jimmie Ray, and a sister, Mrs. J. F. McCormick. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon.



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YOUR HOME TOWN

THE ELECTION PARTY

Another primary election has come and gone—an election that created as much or more interest, perhaps, than any other primary campaign in the history of the county. Starting out rather quietly, interest continued to mount, much as a snowball rolling downhill, until shortly before election day, politics was about the only subject being discussed in the city and county. That interest in the election was high, was proved by the huge crowd that gathered on North Tennessee street Saturday night to receive the returns as they were broadcast by the Collin County Election Bureau in conjunction with the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. The crowd, which started gathering before the polls closed at 7 o'clock, gradually increased until about 8 o'clock it was almost impossible for one to crowd through the group of hundreds who stood before the bulletin board where the returns were being posted. The crowd was good-natured taking the returns in a jovial manner, occasionally cheering some favorite office-seeker as the returns favored that person. The crowd was loathe to leave and by midnight you could scarcely miss anyone from in front of the bulletin board. At 2 o'clock a large portion of the throng was still there, footsore and weary, many resting while sitting on the curb—and, when the election bureau finally called it a night, about 5 a. m., those who remained walked about the street, apparently unwilling to give up their vigil and return home. Early Sunday morning, a good-sized crowd had again gathered to see if any additional returns had been posted. Thirty-nine boxes had been received and posted before the bureau was closed for the night—leaving only eight boxes failing to report. Another—South Farmersville—reported early yesterday, leaving only seven to bring in their reports today.

PROOF OF HIGH INTEREST

That interest in politics is at a high peak was given proof when many of the boxes, reporting Saturday night, showed a much stronger vote than the paid-up poll taxes. It is a good sign, we believe, when such a large vote is polled in the county, showing, beyond a doubt, that the citizens, both men and women are vitally interested in the representatives they place in the seats of government. Where the citizenship is loathe to show interest in their public-servants, standing idly by and evincing no interest in their government, their government stands an excellent chance of decaying. The heavy vote in this county is indicative of the big vote polled over the state, likely to grow near the million mark. No one can truthfully say this year the voters remained at home in this primary election, refusing to vote.

Congratulates Successful Opponent

I am taking this method, through the public press, to extend my heartfelt thanks to the voters of Collin county for their many favors of the past. Every friendly word or vote in behalf of my candidacy is sincerely appreciated beyond question. While victory did not perch upon my banner in the recent Democratic Primary of July 28, yet I am reconciled to abide by the will of the majority as every American citizen should be in this great democracy of ours. I harbor no ill will towards those who exercised their unquestionable privilege of voting for another. You had a perfect right to your choice. I now only crave your friendship and good will. I congratulate Mr. Ready, my successful opponent, and feel assured that he will spare no effort to efficiently serve the people of this splendid county in the combined offices of Assessor-Collector to the very best of his ability and in an entirely satisfactory way to our splendid citizenship.

F. T. N. (NICK) HOOD.

H. Grady Giles, cashier of the Anna bank, and wife, came down to McKinney Saturday night to watch the coming in of the Collin county election returns through the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and Daily Courier-Gazette to be posted on their bulletin board on the west wall of the Dr. J. C. Erwin building, occupied by the Safeway Grocery store. They were guests at the open house party of the Central National bank of McKinney just across the street from the bulletin board, celebrating the nationalizing of the Central State bank, effective July 27.

Glen Coleman announces that there will be a class reunion of the 1929 graduating class of McKinney High school at Finch park at 8:00 o'clock next Friday night, August 3. Mr. Coleman was secretary-treasurer of this class. All members are invited to be present.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. TAXATION TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO REAL ESTATE AND TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO ALL REASONABLE CLASSIFICATIONS OF PROPERTY; AND OCCUPATION AND INCOME TAXES; EXEMPTIONS; LIMITATIONS UPON COUNTIES, CITIES, ETC.

"Taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform. All property in this State, whether owned by natural persons or corporations, other than municipal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, which shall be ascertained as may be provided by law. The Legislature may by general laws make reasonable classifications of all property other than real property for the purpose of taxation, and may impose different rates thereon; provided that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform. The Legislature may impose a poll tax. It may also impose occupation taxes, both upon natural persons and upon corporations, other than municipal, doing business in this State. It may also tax incomes of both natural persons and corporations other than municipal, except that persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits shall never be required to pay an occupation tax; provided that Two Hundred Fifty ($250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture, belonging to each family in the State, shall be exempt from taxation, and provided further that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town for any year on persons or corporations pursuing any profession or business, shall not exceed one-half of the tax levied by the State for the same period of such profession or business."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election, all voters favoring said amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas as providing that taxation of real property sall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations, shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation, and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; and exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty ($250.00)) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family; and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas as providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation; and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax, and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty ($250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family, and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

A TRUE COPY.

W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

TO THE VOTERS OF COLLIN COUNTY

I wish to express my extreme gratitude to the voters of this great county for the consideration and hospitality shown me on my first appearance upon the political horizon as a candidate for the office of county superintendent.

Although I did not win I am pleased to a very high degree with the acquaintances and friends I have made and to them especially do I extend my most heart-felt thanks.

ROY R. JAMES.

John Allen Dyer is improved Tuesday after being confined to his home for a few days with illness.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That there be added to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be numbered Section 2-A and to have five (5) lettered subdivisions and which section shall read as follows:

"Section 2-A.

"(a) General management and control of the affairs of the County shall hereafter be vested in the Commissioners Court, provided that in the exercise of powers not specifically granted to the Commissioners Court by the Constitution and Amendments thereto, the Court shall be subject to the authority of the Legislature of the State, and the Court shall also be subject to all general laws of the State now in force not in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment until such laws are modified or repealed.

"(b) All duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the District Court and the County Clerk shall hereafter be performed by an officer to be known as Record Clerk; all duties heretofore performed by the County Tax Assessor and the County Tax Collector shall hereafter be performed by one officer known as Tax Clerk; and in the counties where the sheriff performs the duties of the Tax Collector he may hereafter perform the duties of the Tax Clerk. The Record Clerk and the Tax Clerk shall be elected to hold office for a term of two (2) years and until their successors shall be elected and qualified. The Commissioners Court shall have authority to combine the office of County Treasurer and the office of County Surveyor, or to combine either, or both, of said offices with any county office. Within the maximum and minimum limits prescribed by the Legislature the Commissioners Court shall have authority to fix the compensation of all county and precinct officers except County Auditor, County Judge and County Commissioners. The Legislature shall fix the compensation of District Judges, District Attorneys, County Judges and the County Commissioners and may provide for a County auditor and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation and the number and compensation of his assistants. The Commissioners Court shall fix the compensation of and determine the number of deputies assistants and clerical personnel of all precinct officers and county officers except the county auditor.

"(c) City and county officers and employees may, in addition to their duties as such city and county officers or employess, be required to perform such other similar duties for cities, towns and districts within the county, or for the county, as may be mutually agreed upon and contracted for between the Commissioners Court of said county and governing board, or boards, of such cities, towns and districts; and the cost of such service shall be provided for in said contracts and paid by such county, cities, towns or districts into the Treasury of the county or city, town or district, as provided for in said contract. All such contracts shall be approved by the Attorney General of this State and such contracts shall not cover a period longer than two (2) years.

"(d) The Legislature shall have authority, by general law, to provide for complete forms of county government and organizations different from that provided for in this Constitution to become effective in any county when submitted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature to the qualified voters of such county in an election held for such purpose and approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting in said election. Provided, however, that no such law shall impair the of the Commissioners Court to determine the compensation of county and precinct officers other than County Auditor, to fix the number of assistants, deputies, and clerical personnel which said officers may employ; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations on counties to incur public debts.

"(e) In any and all cases where provisions of the Constitution of this State are in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment, the provision of this Amendment (Section 2-A, Article IX) shall control; provided, however, should any county adopt a Home Rule Charter under authority of any provisions of the State Constitution or Amendment thereto, this Amendment shall not be applicable to such county."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government and different than as now provided by law."

"Against the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government, and different than as now provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy.

W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

VINEY GROVE NO. 2

Mrs. Henry Thomas

Mrs. Curtis Lismon is visiting in Blue Ridge.

Miss Gertrude Capps visited Miss C. H. Hite Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mabel Caves and baby spent a few days in Princeton.

Mrs. M. J. Lane is spending a few days with her son at Gladewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Samie Eastham and children of Wilson Chapel visited in our community recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haley of McKinney vistied Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Huland recently.

Several from here attending the Baptist meeting at Princeton.

Chester McGraw and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack Bomar at New Hope recently.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. Self at Wilson Chapel Sunday. We will remember Paul as he lived in our community until a year ago when he moved with his parents to Prosper. He was laid to rest beside the grave of his mother who died several years ago. Paul was 22 years of age.

RHEA MILLS

Miss Eva Harben, Corr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harben of Farmersville spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Harben.

Miss Lorene Quattlebaum has returned to her home near Greenville after having spent several weeks visiting her cousin, Christine Quattlebaum. Christine returned home with her for an extended visit.

Miss Mildred Smith has returned after having spent two weeks visiting her brother at Longview.

Miss Naomia Dell Smith of Longview is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Picket Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ward and children of East Texas are visiting his mother, Mrs. Clyde Ward.

Miss Mildred Smith spent Saturday night with Miss Lucille Farley of Bloomdale.

Several from here attended the singing at Weston Sunday.

Miss Camilla Phelps of Celina spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Picket Smith and family.

Miss Dorothy Craft visited her cousin, Dorothy Overall, recently.

Paul Harben of Farmersville visited his parents here Wednesday.

Sade Ward spent Monday afternoon with Viola Harben.

C. C. Whitt Is Grateful

Permit me to thank the voters of Commissioners' Precinct No. 3, who supported me in such a fine way in the first primary of July 28. Your confidence inspires and fills me with gratitude. I have nothing but the very best wishes even for those who voted for either one of my honorable opponents. I certainly would like to have your friendship, regardless of how you vote, and I respectfully solicit the suffrage of every voter of the precinct in the run-off primary of August 25, regardless of your alignment heretofore. If elected, I shall put forth my utmost ability to impartially serve one and all alike and to give my entire time and attention to the discharge of my official duites.

Obediently yours,
C. C. WHITT.
Blue Ridge, Texas.

Among the out-of-town people called here by the death of Dr. J. W. Largent are Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Mouzon, intimate friends through the years of the deceased who are now living in Dallas. Their daughter, Mrs. George Cox, will sing at the funeral services to be held at the family residence at 10.00 o'clock tomorrow morning. Just a week ago today, (Wednesday), July 25, Dr. Largent accompanied H. D. Mauzon Sr. to Paris, to accompany back to McKinney H. D. Mouzon Jr., who had suffered a sudden illness.

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Ferdinand Sherley Is Thankful

While my campaign for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, in the recent Democratic Primary did not prove successful, yet I am deeply grateful to those who did support me with their votes and influence, and I shall always feel under obligations to them. I have no ill will towards those who saw fit to vote for my splendid opponent. If I had to be defeated, I am glad that it was by such a worthy citizen and capable official as Don O. Davis. I wish everybody well, whether you voted for me or not. Life is too brief, at best, to waste any part of it in animosity towards a fellow human being.

Sincerely yours,
FERDINAND SHERLEY.
Anna, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Turner of McCamey, Texas, have arrived to spend the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Neely in this city. Mrs. Turner will be remembered as Miss Annabel Neeley before her marriage. They will accompany Mr. Turner's mother,, Mrs. Oliver Turner, back to McCamey, she having been here visiting relatives for the past several days.

CELINA

Miss Addie Lee Terry

Mrs. Fowler Waddle is reported seriously ill following an heart attack Saturday morning.

Arvil Morris, Joe Nevins and Misses Claudeline and Evelyn Moore attended the rodeo at Sanger Friday night.

Byron Douglas has returned home after spesding a month in Oklahoma City and various other cities in Oklahoma.

Mack Winn attended a road meeting in Gunter Friday night an dspent Saturday in Sherman in connection with business.

L. N. Cox left Sunday for a week vacation at Camp Wisdom, a boys camp twelve miles south of Dallas.

Mrs. Collier Yenry of Sherman has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blain.

Mrs. R. N. Walker and daughters, Misses Velma and Audra and son, Nolan left Friday for a tour of California. They expect to be gone a month.

Mrs. Ona Waddle of McKinney spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Waddle. rMs. Waddle was on her return trip home from Wichita Falls where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blain visited Mr and Mrs. A. E. Sigler in Plano Sunday. They were accompanied by their grandson, M. H. Blain of Dallas, who is visiting them.

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Beginning Saturday, August 4th, Texas Electric Railway will operate a car Dallas to McKinney leaving Dallas each night at 11:00 P. M. for the convenience of its patrons.

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GROVER BURTON

Candidate Flotorial Representative, 45th Legislative District, (Collin and Grayson Counties) Run-Off Primary, August 25.

With heartfelt gratitude, I thank each and every voter for the loyal and liberal support given me in the Democratic Primary of July 28, for the honor of Flotorial Representative, District 45, composed of Grayson and Collin counties.

Office seeking is a new and heretofore untried experience in my life of thirty-one years. For this reason, I am much gratified at the result, which places me in the run-off primary, with a very complimentary vote from both counties.

I am desirous of serving the people of this district and state, in a helpful and beneficial way, in the public service.

I have endeavored to prepare myself for such service by studying and hard work through the years and by honorable living.

Hence, I submit my candidacy in the run-off primary of August 25 strictly upon my own merits and qualifications to fill the office with honor to you and credit to myself.

I have conducted my campaign in a high and gentlemanly manner and engaged in no personalities nor mudslinging at any time or place. Such a campaign is repugnant to right-thinking and intelligent people of high ideals.

I hold no ill will, even for those who opposed me in the first primary, and only hope to prove myself worthy of your favorable consideration, confidence and trust in the present run-off contest.

If you deem me qualified, of worthy life and eligible character, I shall greatly appreciate your vote and influence for the office.

However, whatever may be your attitude in reference to my candidacy and its support, I shall appreciate your personal friendship and good will and cherish the same, if you grant it, as a bright spot in my life and memory.

Thanking you again for past favors as well as future consideration, am,

Your Obedient Servant,
GROVER BURTON,
McKinney, Texas, August 1, 1934

Mrs. Fitzhugh Newsome is still getting about by the aid of crutches caused by a sprained ankle. She sustained the injury sometime ago. However, the member is improving at such a rate that she hopes soon to be able to discard her crutches.

The annual Baptist revival meeting began Sunday at Anna with services at the tabernacle. Geo. W. McCall of the evangelistic staff of the state board is doing the preaching. A. L. Harkins is choir director and is being assisted by Mrs. M. M. Barnett and Mrs. Harry Drury, who are in charge of the Junior choir. Everyone is cordially invited to attend every service.

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ALTOGA

Mrs. George Moreland

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Terrell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ceman Lacy in McKinney.

Leon Lacy of Farmersville spent the week-end with homefolks.

Alger Walker of Melissa spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Virginia Lee Watkins.

Miss Georgia Terrell spent last week with Miss Alta Edwards of Westminster.

Miss Nell Mantooth of Princeton visited her grandmother, Mrs. M. B. Mantooth, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gault Simpson of McKinney recently visited her sister Mrs. Ona Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moreland and Scott visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vermillion have returned from Quitman where they visited several days.

Houston Lawson of Celina visited his aunt, Mrs. W. N. Carroll and family last week.

Arlin King, Clyde Lacy, Ray Stevenson, Porter and Forrest Cameron are spending a few days in East Texas and Arkansas.

Our revival meeting will begin the 5th Sunday. Bro. Boner will assist our pastor, Rev. Ernest Gilbert in the meeting.

Mrs. John Gaines and Mrs. Troy Johnson, of McKinney, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hale.

Miss Mildred Terrell of Woodville, is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Terrell.

Bob Carson and daughter, Mrs. Frank Hall of Dallas spent part of last week here with his brother, J. A. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson and little daughter of Quanah visited his brother, R. Ferguson and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stiff and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Havens and baby, Johnny Fay, visited their brother, Henry Stiff, at Sherman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McClusky and children of Victoria, visited his sister, Mrs. J. A. Carson here and they accompanied them to Dallas Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClusky.

Mrs. Virgie Lacy and daughter, Nell, spent part of last week visiting their sister and aunt, Mrs. Richard Anderson of Princeton. They also visited Mrs. Chas. Akin.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moreland were Delmer Stevenson and Miss Paula Stewart of Dallas; Mr. Odell Ramsey of Valdasta, and Misses Geraldine and Majorie Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stewart and daughter, Miss Paula, of Dallas, spent the week-end with Mrs. Stewart's sister, Mrs. Ona Farley and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lawson of Dallas spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moreland and children, Clifton Avery and Janice, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis at White Rock Sunday.

U. N. Clary, a veteran West Collin banker of Prosper, and wife, were among the many guests of the Central National bank of McKinney at their open house party on election night, Saturday evening, July 28.

Former County Clerk Shirley G. Taylor has been given the assignment of territory for his recently appointed position under United States Internal Revenue Collector W. A. Thomas of Dallas. His territory embraces Dallas, Ellis, Kaufman, and Navarro counties in the collection and checking of process taxes under the Bankhead law. Mr. Taylor is an expert office man, well-fitted for the position.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(July 28, 1909.)

Mrs. T. A. Parris and daughter, Lena, are visiting Melissa friends and relatives today.

Mrs. J. W. Webb went to Van Alstyne today to visit her daughters, Mrs. E. W. Rollo, and Mrs. Homer Rogers.

Amos Cooper, a negro, well-known around town, as the "mortar maker," died last evening about 6:30 o'clock.

Miss Apple Farmer of Grand Saline is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jesse M. Foster, in McKinney today. The latter's husband is a trusted employe of this news paper.

Mrs. Frank W. Emerson and little son, Francis, and her mother, Mrs. Sue Martin, have returned from a three weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Plainview, Vernon and Amarillo, Texas, and Frederick, Oklahoma.

Dr. E. E. King, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, and Rev. J. B. Willbanks of Blue Ridge have closed a successful revival at East Fork Baptist church at Biggers. A number of conversions and additions were had.

When J. N. Alexander arose this morning at his home one mile west of town, he discovered that someone had stolen his pants during the night and took his pocketbook that contained a $5.00 gold piece, a finger ring and a watch charm.

MRS. JESSE MARTIN ENJOYS FAMILY REUNION JULY 14

CELEBRATED HER 90TH BIRTHDAY—BELOVED OLD MOTHER

Mrs. Jesse Martin, a dear old mother and grandmother, celebrated her ninetieth birthday at her big farm home, about two miles east of Melissa, Saturday, July 14, with a family reunion. Her children were with her as follows on that happy occasion:

Lawrence A. Martin and family of Wallis Chapel.

Homer Martin, wife and little son, Grover Robert Martin, of Ennis.

Mrs. Grover Furr, Ms. rA. S. Brown and S .E. (Gene) Martin and family, all of McKinney.

Mrs. H. A. Cunningham, who resides in the old home with the mother and who tenderly cares for her every want.

Aunt Eliza Martin came to Texas when she was only eleven years old, having been born near Springfield, Sangamon county, Illinois. She has, therefore, lived in Texas and in the same community where she still resides for almost eighty years.

Her maiden name was Eliza Moore, a sister of the late Uncle Bob Moore of the same community.

She married the late Jesse Martin who died two years ago and who was eighty-eight years old at the time of his death.

Uncle Jesse and Aunt Liza lived on their farm, two miles east of Melissa, sixty-four years at the time of his passing.

These editors and papers congratulate this dear old mother and grandmother on the attainment of her ninetieth birthday and trust that she may continue in good health to enjoy many more such happy birthday occasions with her children and many other descendants.

During the day she also received calls from a number of her friends and neighbors who congratulated her and expressed their appreciation of her long and worthy, serviceable life.

GOOD FEDERAL POSITIONS OPEN TO APPLICANTS

Jim P. Thomas, employe of the local Post Office and Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners for this county has announced that open competitive examinations will be given by the United States Civil Service Commission at the local Post Office for the following government positions:

Associate meterologist, $3,200 to $3,800, assistant meterologist, $2,6$$ to $3,200 a year, Weather Bureau, Department of Agriculture, closing date, August 21, 1934.

Community worker, and supervisory, head, and assistant community workers, with salaries ranging from $1,620 to $3,806 a year, Indian Field Service, Department of the Interior. Closing date, August 21, 1934.

The salaries named are subject to a deduction of not to exceed 5 per cent during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, as a measure of economy, and also to a deduction of 3½ per cent toward a retirement annuity.

All states except Iowa, Vermont, Virginia, Maryland and the District o Columbia have received less than their quota of appointments in the apportioned departmental service in Washington, D C.

MISS WILLIE MAE DUNCAN DIES IN DALLAS HOSPITAL

Miss Willie Mae Duncan, 40 years, 7 months, and 13 days, formerly of this city, died at St. Paul's hospital, Dallas, Wednesday morning at 2 o'clock after a prolonged illness. The body of the deceased was brought to McKinney Wednesday morning by the Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home coach of this city and was taken to the home of Miss Duncan's sister, Mrs. Carlton James, 1314 North Coleman street, where it remained until at 10 a. m. Thursday at which time the remains were taken to Cottage Hill where services were held.

The deceased is survived by three brothers and one sister as follows: Howard Duncan, Dallas; Aubrey Duncan, McKinney, route one; and Ulvie Duncan, of Aubrey; and Mrs. Carlton James, McKinney. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duncan, who died here last February.

Joe Bailey, wife and pretty little six-months-old baby, Marvel Jean, of Oklahoma City, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Bailey and his grandfather, Uncle Wiley Bailey here in McKinney for a few days. They attended the annual reunion in Finch park Wednesday of the Stroup-Bailey-Girsham and Littlejohn families. Mr. Bailey represents the Clarence L. Boyd company of Guthrie, Okla., distributors of Adams' road machinery. He is a bright young business man who is making a success in life.

JIM BUTLER PASSES AWAY AT VERONA

Jim Butler died at his home at Verona Wednesday morning, July 25. He had been in poor health for sometime but was seriously ill only three or four days. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Henry Meade of Verona; Mrs. Joe Spaugh of Verona; Dovie Butler of Denton county; Wessie Butler of near Merritt and Woodrow Butler who lives at home. The deceased had long lived in the Verona community. He was a member of the Baptist church. His wife is a sister of R. F. and Tom Durham both of McKinney. His interment took place at Altoga Thursday.

Mrs. W. T. Dunn Recently Made Extensive Trip

Mrs. W. T. Dunn came up from her home in Dallas to attend the Thirty-Fifth Annual Collin County Picnic and ex-Confederate Reunion. She and her husband formerly lived at Altoga. They have always been friends and helpers in the big McKinney picnic, Mrs. Dunn being secretary of the baby show for a number of years under Mrs. O. S. Scott's direction of it as Chairman of the Committee. Mrs. Dunn just recently arrived back home from an extended motor trip with her husband who is a traveling oil man through the states of Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi and Oklahoma. She greatly enjoyed their visits at Philadelphia, Mississippi; Jackson, the capital; Vicksburg and other points. W. T. Dunn has been with the oil company for a number of years, visiting usually the County Commissioners' court at the county seat of various counties, dealing with them for their county needs in oils and other products that he sells.

C. B. HUNTER AND FAMILY AT PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Claud B. Hunter of Claude, Armstrong county, West Texas, arrived in McKinney, Monday, to visit relatives in this city and county for two or three days and to be present for a part of the big picnic.

Both of these good people were born and reared in Collin county, being members of our oldest and most honored pioneer families. Claud B. Hunter is a brother of the late Dr. J. E. Hunter and a cousin of J. H. Merritt and Judge E. W. Merritt.

With Mr. and Mrs. Hunter are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hargis and little son, Herbert Jr., of Austin, Mrs. Hargis being their daughter. Another daughter, Miss Frances Hunter, a student at Texas State university, at Austin, is also in the party. They are en route home from visiting the Century of Progress World's fair, in Chicago. In the latter city, the party was joined by Miss Laura Grace Hunter, another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud B. Hunter, who holds a good position, at Cleveland, Ohio. A most enjoyable visit was had at the Century of Progress.

The party are making the trip in the auto of Mr. Hargis.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hunter have lived in Armstrong county for a number of years. They now live on their big farm and ranch, seven miles from Claude. They have a modern country home with many city conveniences. Mrs. Hunter was formerly Miss Cora Sneed, who is a sister of Mrs. F. A. Kluttz and of former District Clerk Jerome H. Sneed, both of this city and of Tom Sneed, who with his family, still reside on the old homestead of the Sneed family in the Lucas community.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter are meeting a host of their old home county friends here during the picnic and greatly enjoying their visit here.

DEMONSTRATION CLUB WINNERS PICNIC PARADE

Ula Saunders, chairman of the Picnic Parade Committee, announces the winners in the Home Demonstration club divsion of the big parade as follows: Bloomdale, first; Franklin, second; and Melissa, third. A great deal of interest was shown in the home demonstration club division of the parade this year, the first time it has been a part of the line of march. Each demonstration club was urged to get as many people as possible, regardless of their home in the line of march behind their banner, the three with the largest number being given prizes.

N. V. Commons and wife of Clearlake will leave Monday for Denrose, Tenn., to visit his brother, B. W. Commons and family. Mr. Commons is a native of Tennessee but has resided in this county for the past forty years. He is a brother of L. F. and A. J. Commons, both of this city.

Thanks Collin Voters

HON. TOM CONNALLY
Re-elected United States Senator.

CONNALLY IS THANKFUL TO COLLIN VOTERS

HIS MAJORITY IN THIS COUNTY NEARLY TWO HUNDRED

United States Senator Tom Connally, who was the overwhelming victor in the Democratic Primary election of July 28 for re-nomination, is very grateful to the people of Texas for their support and confidence. He expresses his appreciation to the voters of Collin county, which he carried, in the following personal statement sent for publication in this paper:

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From Senator Connally.

To My Friends And Supporters:

It will be impossible for me to see personally and extend direct thanks to all of my friends and supporters for their loyalty and support in the campaign which has just come to an end.

Because of the limited time between the adjournment of Congress and the date of the primary it was impossible for me to visit all counties in the state and to meet my friends and supporters. Allow me to take this means of thanking the Democracy of Texas for re-nominating me to a second term in the United States Senate.

To those friends and supporters who actively worked for me I want to express a very deep and keen sense of thanks and gratitude. It shall be my earnest desire to so serve the people of Texas during the next six years as to justify the confidence and regard of all who gave my candidacy their support.

TOM CONNALLY

J. Wilson Spain Is Thankful

Through the columns of the press, as well as personally, I am thanking the voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 2 for the splendid support given me for re-election. You gave me the highest vote with more than 160 plurality of the five men in the race. I am deeply indebted to you my friends and supporters, for your loyalty. I made a clean race, slung no mud and am standing on my record in the office. If that recommends me in your opinion, and you think me a worthy character, I earnestly solicit your support in the run-off primary of August 25, regardless of whether you have supported me or not heretofore. I thank you in advance for any help you can give me in my race.

J. W. (WILSON) SPAIN.
Farmersville, Texas,
August 2, 1934.

John A. Record Very Thankful

I am very thankful for the vote I received on Saturday, July, 28, for re-election to a second term for Constable, Precinct No. 1. I had two opponents, leading the nearest one to me 425 votes. I only lacked 221 votes receiving as many as both of them. To one and all who supported me, I am thankful. I ask you to do so again on August 25, as well as everyone who did not support me. I kindly ask the support and vote of everyone in Precinct No. 1, for a re-election to a second term as Constable, assuring you that I will continue to do my very best.

Most Gratefully,
JOHN A. RECORD,
Constable, Precinct No. 1.

Miss Tootsie Andesson of Melissa was a business caller at our office Monday. Miss Tootsie has been a pupil in the McKinney High school for the past two or three years. She is the daughter of Mrs. Dr. A. H. Bridgefarmer of Melissa.

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FIRST BALE 1934 COTTON ARRIVES IN M'KINNEY

GROWN BY JOHN BATES OF NEW HOPE; HAS 63-ACRE CROP

McKinney's first bale of 1934 cotton arrived in the city about 6:00 o'clock Wednesday evening and was ginned Wednesday night by the McKinney Gin company, of which John Snapp is manager. The bale, seed cotton, weighed 1,500 pounds and, after ginning, the lint bale weighed 502 pounds, which is considered an unusually good turnout.

The cotton was grown and gathered by John Bates, farmer residing four and a half miles northeast of McKinney in the New Hope community. He said the cotton was picked from over twenty-five of his sixty-three acre crop. It was of the mixed Mebane and Sunshine varieties. His crop, this year, in his opinion is an average one.

Mr. Bates declares he used twenty-five people in gathering the cotton, in order to have the honor of bringing in the first bale to this city.

Thursday morning, he was awaiting information from the Texas A. & M. college, giving him permission to dispose of the cotton. He expected to sell the cotton at public auction on the public square sometime Thursday.

This was the first time Mr. Bates has ever had the honor of bringing the first bale to McKinney, and he is being congratulated by friends on local streets today.

The cotton arrived one day earlier than the first bale last year, which was marketed here on Friday, August 4, by F. M. Housewright of Wylie, and which was sold the same day to W. B. Mitchell, local druggist who paid 11.50 cents per pound for it.

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Other First Bales.

Records of the first bales here since 1910 follow:

1933, August 4, F. M. Housewright, Wylie.
1932, August 12, C. J. Cooper, Clearlake.
1931, August 13, T. B. Blassengame, New Hope.
1930, July 30, C. R. Hillis, Clearlake.
1929, August 3, R. G. Crim, Wylie.
1928, August 16, Jesse Housewright, Wylie.
1927, August 10, F. M. Housewright, Wylie.
1926, August 25, J. R. Blassengame, Lucas.
1925, August 7, W. F. Edwards, Club Lake.
1924, August 11, Pete Evans, Fitzhugh Mills.
1923, August 6, S. R. and E. E. Griffin, Altoga.
1922, August 10, J. J. Cooper, Clearlake.
1921, August 8, L. M. Moore, Orchard Gap.
1920, August 23, C. T. Rose, southwest of McKinney.
1919, September 1, W. C. Shirley, Bloomdale.
1918, August 6, R. W. Burnside, McKinney, Route 3.
1917, August 17, H. T. Massen, Wylie.
1916, August 12, Jesse Bull, McKinney, Route 2.
1915, August 10, J. C. Dinsmore, Branch.
1914, August 16, Roger Abernathy.
1913, August 19, Forest Davidson, Clearlake.
1912, August 8, W. B. Corley, McDonald.
1911, August 7, C. T. McDonald, Princeton.
1910, August 23, W. A. Bevil, Fitzhugh Mills.

District Clerk Sears Thankful

While I did not realize my ambition for re-election to the office of District Clerk in the Democratic Primary of July 28, yet I wish to unreservedly bow to the will of the majority and cheerfully accept the popular choice for the office and abide by the same. No one can possibly appreciate his friends, who voted and were loyal to him, more than I do. I thank them from the very bottom of my heart. At the same time, I harbor no ill will towards any who voted for either one of my honorable opponents. That was your free born American privilege to vote for your choice. But, I do wish to have your friendship and good will just the same as if you had supported me. In my public service, friend or political opponent all look alike to me and are on a common level and entitled to equal service—the best I can give. I cordially congratulate Mr. Bailey, my successful opponent, for whose administration I wish every success. Our campaign for votes was strenuous but there was no mudslinging. We are still the best of friends. With very best wishes for all, I am

Sincerely yours,
L. A. SEARS.

Miss Ethel Russell, one of the teachers of the McKinney Public schools, is at home after attending six weeks' summer session at the North Texas State Teachers college, at Denton. Her mother, Mrs. G. M. Russell, stayed at the home of her son, G. B. Russell and wife at their farm home, about six miles southwest of McKinney, while Miss Ethel was off to college. They are both back now in their home [illegible] North Church street.

WEEKLY DEMOCRAT-GAZETTE WantAds

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FOR SALE

TELEPHONE BOXES for sale, 12 of them for only $10 for all. A bargain.—D. C. Bridgefarmer, P. 3, McKinney.

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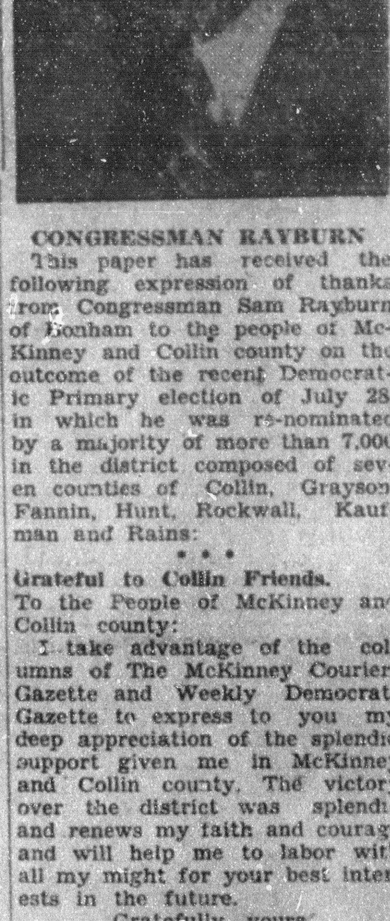
CONGRESSMAN SAM RAYBURN IS THANKFUL

RENOMINATED BY MAJORITY OF OVER 7,000 VOTES IN DISTRICT



CONGRESSMAN RAYBURN

This paper has received the following expression of thanks from Congressman Sam Rayburn of Bonham to the people of McKinney and Collin county on the outcome of the recent Democratic Primary election of July 28, in which he was re-nominated by a majority of more than 7,000 in the district composed of seven counties of Collin, Grayson, Fannin, Hunt, Rockwall, Kaufman and Rains:

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Grateful to Collin Friends.

To the People of McKinney and Collin county:

I take advantage of the columns of The McKinney Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette to express to you my deep appreciation of the splendid support given me in McKinney and Collin county. The victory over the district was splendid and renews my faith and courage and will help me to labor with all my might for your best interests in the future.

Gratefully yours,
SAM RAYBURN, M. C.

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Richard Dix in
"HIS GREATEST GAMBLE"

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Robert Young, Doris Kenyon in
"WHOM THE GODS DESTROY"

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McKinney Weekly Democrat-Gazette

FIFTY-FIRST YEAR McKINNEY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUG. 2, 1934.—SECOND SECTION ESTABLISHED FEBRUARY 7, 1884.

ALLRED AND HUNTER LEAD IN GOVERNOR'S RACE

Collin Polls More Than 8,000 Votes In Primary

Closely Contested Races Feature Primary; Some Win Without Run-Off Campaign

Miss Copeland, England And Bailey Win Without Run-off

Rayburn Re-elected; Hughston Leads Field

Favored by ideal weather conditions, Collin voters thronged to the polls Saturday, casting their preferences for candidates for offices from governor on down to constable.

With 8,288 poll taxes, the heavy vote cast in the first boxes reporting to the election bureau Saturday night indicated the voting would be heavy.

In the county races, County Treasurer Byron England apparently has a majority over both his opponents for local representative.

Tom L. Bailey, running for district clerk, has a majority over both his opponents—L. A. Sears and Floyd Taylor.

In the county superintendent's race, the present Superintendent L. Dow Hendricks ,and Prof. J. W. Moseley, will be in the run-off, with Supt. Hendricks holding over 300 lead.

For sheriff, G. J. S. Walker, incumbent, was re-elected to that office by a majority of over 1,800 over Ex-Sheriff W. A. Kerby.

N. D. Ready, tax collector, was successful in his race for the combined office of assessor-collector, leading his opponent, Nick Hood, by approximately 1,700 votes.

In the county treasurer's race, Miss Lela Copeland has a majority over both her opponents—E. F. Kirby and Cecil Hight.

Three county candidates had no oposition. They were Mrs. Pearl Strother, unopposed for re-election to second term as county clerk; County Judge J. Frank Harrington, seeking re-election to second office, and H. H. Neilson, unopposed in his race for the county attorney, first term.

For Flotorial Representative, a district composed of Collin and Grayson counties, Chas. Akin, Princeton, led in this county, while Grover Burton of McKinney will be in the run-off with James S. Kone, Sherman, who led in Grayson county.

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Rayburn Leads.

For Congress, Sam Rayburn, present incumbent, leads his opponent by a substantial majority in this county as well as in the district.

In the race for state senator, Hon. Wallace Hughston, McKinney, led in this county which cast 3,166 votes for him in 42 boxes counted. He also led over the district, with Judge Claud Isbell, of Rockwall county, his opponent in the run-off. A field of five candidates contested for this place. Second place in this county was held by Joe W. McCullough who received 1,580.

Collin county's vote in the various county races, including forty-seven boxes complete, follows:

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For Congress.

Jess Morris, 3,587.
Sam Rayburn, 4,259.

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Civil Appeals.

Ben L. Jones, 4,405.
Robt. B. Allen, 2,697.

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Flotorial Representative.

Bevis Davis, 359.
Chas. Akin, 3,710.
Grover Burton, 3,409.
James S. Kone, 133.

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For State Senator.

T. M. Staples, 1,410.
Will A. Harris, 499.
Wallace Hughston, 3,363.
Claud Isbell, 900.
Joe W. McCullough, 1,695.

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Local Representative.

Byron England, 4,131.
J. D. Lyons, 1,094.
T. O. Murray, 2,544.

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District Clerk.

Tom L. Bailey, 4,684.
Floyd Taylor, 1,416.
L. A. Sears, 2,545.

MOTHER OF T. M. STAPLES FATALLY INJURED SUNDAY

MRS. OLIVIA STAPLES, 60, MEETS DEATH AT CAR CRASH

Mrs. Olivia Staples, 60, 5003 Ross avenue, Dallas, mother of T. Malcolm Staples, of McKinney, was fatally injured and two other women were seriously hurt in an automobile accident Sunday on the highway one mile south of Wylie in this county while returning to Dallas after a trip to Wylie. The auto containing the women collided with that of Jim Caldwell of Nevada who received cuts in the accident and was treated at Garland.

Mrs. Staples died at 7:25 p. m. Sunday at Baylor hospital. She suffered a broken hip, broken leg and crushed chest. Mrs. Mary Peery, 83, and Mrs. Margaret Delph, 70, both also of Dallas, were injured.

Mrs. Staples was well known in the oil business. She was president of the Staple Crude oil company with headquarters in the Allen building, Dallas. She came to Texas from El Dorado, Arkansas, where she was in the oil business after being a successful lawyer. At the time of her death her interests were scattered over Arkansas and East and West Texas.

Surviving are two sons, T. Malcolm Staples of McKinney and Herefored Staples of Wylie and three brothers, F. B. Ingram of Dallas, H .G. Ingram of Shawnee, Oklahoma, and F. S. Ingram of Chicago.

Her son, Malcolm, well-known young McKinney business man, was head of the Relief Work Sanitation program in this county and was a candidate in Saturday's Democratic primary for the office of State Senator, receiving a good vote over the district.

Albert Sears of New Orleans, La., is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Charlie Sears in this city.

Scotty Abernathy, who is working in Chicago, is home for a few days' vacation. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Abernathy of this city.

Dr. R. L. Cowan, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has returned from Kerrville where he spent a few days attending the Texas Synod.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Harris of Hollywood, California, has been the guest for several days in the home of Judge and Mrs. J. Frank Harrington. She is a niece of Mrs. Harrington.

County Superintendent.

Roy R. James, 1,605.
L. Dow Hendricks, 2,849.
J. H. Jackson, 1,289.
J. W. Moseley, 2,415.

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Sheriff.

W. A. Kerby, 3,173.
G. J. S. Walker, 5,086.

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Assessor-Collector.

N. D. Ready, 5,087.
F. T. N. (Nick) Hood, 3,161.

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County Treasurer.

Miss Lela Copeland, 4,350.
Cecil Hight, 2,412.
Ed F. Kirby, 1,426.

CLOSE RACES IN PRECINCT CAMPAIGNS

NINE CANDIDATES IN ONE PRECINCT RACE

Although major state, district and county races occupied most of the interest of Collin county voters, yet some unusually closely contested and interesting precinct and commissioner campaigns featured Saturday's election in the forty-seven voting boxes of the county.

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Commissioners' Races.

In the county commissioners race, precinct 1, County Commissioner Don O. Davis, incumbent, has a majority of 1,509 votes over his opponent, Mr. Ferdinand Shirley.

For commissioner, precinct 2, J. Wilson Spain, incumbent, leads, while his opponent in the run-off will be Levi Bass.

C. C. Whitt, who formerly held the post, leads in the race for commissioner, precinct 3, with E. N. Lamm running second, and his opponent in the run-off campaign.

G. Frank Kerby, commissioner of precinct 4, was re-elected to that post over his opponent R. C. Fortner by a majority of approximately 200.

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Constables Races.

In the race for constable, precinct 1, John A. Record, incumbent, leads his nearest opponent in a field of three by about 500 votes. His opponent in the run-off primary campaign will be Hester Lewis.

For constable, precinct 2, Paul Akin has a majority of more than 100 over his opponent.

For constable, precinct 3, with a field of three candidates.

In the race for constable precinct 8, (Blue Ridge) Chas. Akin defeated his opponent by 82 votes.

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Public Weigher.

One of the most interesting precinct races was that for public weigher, precinct 8, in which there was a field of nine contestants. Bert Stanford is leading, with Ed Carmack running second. Most of the candidates in this race received a nice vote.

Mrs. P. F. Smith requests the Daily Courier-Gazette to change her address as follows from 2603 Salado Street to 2501½ Rio Grande Street, Austin, Texas.

Grady Raney of Los Angeles, Calif., has returned to his home after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Raney, in this city. His brother, Joe Raney, who has been working in Dallas, returned to California with him to reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson and son, Page, were at Carpenter's Ranch, twenty-two miles west of Gunnison, Colorado, on July 23. A card from them states that they are having heavy showers most every day in that popular summer resort in the Rocky Mountains. Prior to that they were at Lake City, Colorado. Mr. Johnson is vice-president and cashier of the Collin County National bank. He and his wife and son are greatly enjoying their summer vacation.

PUBLIC WEIGHER, PRECINCT NO. 8.

Boxes	Stanford	Kennedy	Vicars	Kerby	Thompson	Hartman	LaFevre	Carmack	Glass
S. Farmersville	169	1	21	8	78	40	41	80	62
N. Farmersville	81	11	29	16	106	55	37	92	53
Verona	16	2	1	14	1	1	12	16	5
Cedar	0	12	0	35	0	0	1	9	0
Snow Hill	38	2	3	14	6	10	1	22	2
Climax	44	1	5	3	5	3	13	9	11
Totals	348	29	57	90	192	108	105	222	183

Enter Run-Off Campaign For Governor

HON. JAS. V. ALLRED
Who holds commanding lead in race.

HON. TOM F. HUNTER
Who ran second in race for governor.

FOR FLOTORIAL REPRESENTATIVE

	Kone	Akin	Burton
Collin	133	3710	3409
Grayson	6950	1496	2170
Totals	7083	5206	5579

CONGRESSIONAL RACE—FOURTH DISTRICT

County	Morris	Rayburn
Hunt	3704	3658
Rockwall	840	959
Rains	865	631
Collin	3587	4259
Fannin		
Kaufman		
Total	12167	17552

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3

Boxes	Whitt	Press	Hale	Lamm	Peel
Blue Ridge	182	77	5	118	6
Westminster	86	10	12	4	12
Snow Hill		34	6	18	12
Cedar	21	2	13	16	4
Pike	68	4	11	17	1
N. Farmersville	108	8	165	140	92
Altoga	83	3	4	6	5
Valdasta	57	12	6	11	26
Verona	20	6	1	17	16
Climax	32	0	5	38	14
Desert	21	5	3	21	2
N.E. McKinney	133	15	36	38	33
Total	845	148	267	444	234

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2

Boxes	Enloe	Fryer	Spain	Bass	Harris
Copeville	0	25	44	26	7
S. McKinney	105	39	31	57	13
S. E. McKinney	232	27	14	70	6
Wylie	18	39	69	45	26
Dump	8	7	6	24	2
Clearlake	1	0	16	39	4
Nevada	4	12	91	27	17
Millwood	1	2	19	0	3
No. Royse	12	3	9	9	9
Princeton	25	3	95	59	8
Lavon	8	5	22	31	10
Josephine	6	6	58	14	40
S. Farmersville	28	10	208	80	163
Culleoka	18	2	16	54	2
Total	466	180	698	535	310

Re-Elected To Congress

HON. SAM RAYBURN

Mrs. J. J. Raney has returned from Mirando City where she visited her brother, Scott Actkinson, and family. She also visited in Corpus Christi and points in Old Mexico before returning home.

STATE SENATOR—

Hughston's lead over Isbell, 4 counties, 1,663.

County	Hughston	Isbell	Staples	Harris	McCullough
Collin	3363	900	1410	499	1695
Hunt	2159	1901	433	1391	1171
Rains	131	113	56	1018	130
Rockwall	180	1267	46	130	45
Totals	5833	4281	1945	3038	3041

COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1

Boxes	Sherley	Davis
N. W. McKinney	67	462
Anna	115	138
Melissa	35	192
Roland	19	100
N. McKinney	60	323
Rhea Mills	4	55
Weston	24	158
S. Celina	24	142
N. Celina	21	162
Prosper	18	154
Total	377	1886

CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 1

Boxes	McCauley	Lewis	Record
S. McKinney	39	104	88
N. McKinney	92	105	195
N. W. McKinney	113	153	278
N. E. McKinney	56	65	124
S. W. McKinney	80	136	222
S. E. McKinney	47	122	178
Allen	119	76	35
Lucas	12	57	7
Forest Grove	10	67	25
Clear Lake	7	22	32
Culleoka	14	26	54
Princeton	42	44	103
Altoga	19	9	66
Total	650	986	1407

CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 2

Boxes	Akin	Wisdom
Cedar	39	0
Verona	40	23
S. Farmersville	245	232
N. Farmersville	312	198
Snow Hill	62	36
Climax	38	55
Totals	736	544

CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 3:

Boxes	McHone	Thomas	Hendricks
Melissa	108	52	54
Anna	162	9	74
Valdasta	57	8	42
Westminster	52	4	68
Totals	379	73	236

CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 8.

Boxes	Jones	Akin
Blue Ridge	164	211
Pike	48	45
Desert	6	44
Totals	218	300

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4

Boxes	Kerby	Fortner
S. W. McKinney	310	133
Forest Grove	80	22
Lucas	60	14
Parker	43	15
Murphy	83	44
Allen	123	89
E. Plano	71	137
W. Plano	60	162
Renner	9	49
Lebanon	69	63
Frisco	103	88
Totals	1011	816

Kirby Garrett of Dallas spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garrett.

McDonald In Third Place; Joe Moore Enters Run-Off For Lieutenant-Governor

Collin Gives Jas. V. Allred Big Lead in Governor's Race

Joe Moore And W. M. McCraw Given Big Vote

Voters of this county went to the polls Saturday, cast their ballots, not only for a score or more important county and district races, but indicating their performance for as many, or more state races as well.

With a vote of 8,000 cast, Attorney General Jas. V. Allred lacked only 400 or 500 votes having a majority over all other candidates in the race for governor combined.

The young Attorney General carried all but three boxes in the county.

Running second in the county was Hon. Tom F. Hunter, some 1,700 votes behind.

Hon. C. C. McDonald was third.

For United States Senator, Senator Tom Connally has slight lead over Congressman Joseph Weldon Bailey Jr. in this county. Fisher's vote was light in this county as well as over the state.

State Senator Joe M. Moore of Greenville, Hunt county, received a splendid vote in Collin in his campaign for the lieutenant-governorship, receiving some 5,000 votes, or more than all his five opponents combined.

For attorney general, Hon. W. M. (Bill) McCraw, of Dallas, was running far in the lead in this county, receiving twice the votes of his opponents combined.

Collin gave George H. Sheppard, present incumbent, a plurality in his race for state comptroller, with Jack Patterson second.

Charley Lockhart was leading in this county in his race for re-election to state treasurer.

For agricultural commissioner, Collin voters indicated a preference J. E. McDonald, present holder of that office, with Fred W. Davis second.

For land commissioner, J. H. Walker had a comfortable lead over Walter E. Jones, his opponent.

Nor railroad commissioner, John Pundt leads in this county over his nearest opponent, W. Gregory Hatcher.

John H. Sharp has a slight lead over H. S. Lattimore in the race for the supreme court.

Collin county's vote in the various state races, 46 boxes complete, follows:

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U. S. Senator.

J. W. Bailey, Jr., 3,527.
Tom Connally, 3,650.
Guy B. Fisher, 183.

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Governor.

Jas. V. Allred, 2,394.
Maury Hughes, 577.
C. C. McDonald, 1,502.
Edward K. Russell, 43.
Clint Small, 369.
Edgar E. Witt, 236.
Hunter, 1,506.

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Attorney-General.

W. M. McCraw, 5,066.
Clyde E. Smith, 1,315.
Walter Woodward, 1,132.

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Lieutenant-Governor.

Ben F. Berkeley, 405.
John Hornsby, 523.
R. M. Johnson, 313.
Joe Moore, 5,116.
J. P. Rogers, 289.
Walter Woodul, 690.

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Comptroller.

Manley H. Clary, 566.
Jack Patterson, 2,388.
George H. Sheppard, 3,593.
Dalph B. Tillison, 621.

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Treasurer.

Kay Griffin, 599.
Charley Lockhart, 3,311.
George B. Terrell, 2,399.
Dennis Waller, 936.

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Agricultural Commissioner.

C. C. Conley, 815.
Fred W. Davis, 2,137.
J. E. McDonald, 3,639.
K. Terrell, 355.

DEMOCRATS HOLD PRECINCT CONVENTIONS

NAME DELEGATES TO THE COUNTY CONVENTION SATURDAY

Democratic precinct conventions were held in every voting box of the county Saturday afternoon. At that time, delegates were elected to the County Democratic Committee convention to be held in McKinney Saturday, August 4, at 2:00 p. m. o'clock in the district courtroom of the courthouse. At that time the returns of Saturday's primary will be canvassed and nominees and run-off pairings announced, officially. The Democratic Executive Committee, of which Ed Blakeman is chairman, will be held at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning in the courthouse, also. At the county convention, delegates to the State convention will be elected.

REPUBLICANS HOLD PRECINCT CONVENTION

The Republican precinct convention met at the city hall at 3 p. m. Saturday, July 28, and elected the following delegates to the county convention, which meets August 4th, at 3 p. m. at the city hall:

J. B. Griffin, McKinney.
I. R. Dillow, McKinney.
Dr. D. E. Bridgefarmer..
John Pistole, Route 4.
Lon Dennis, Route 4.
Landon Duncan, Route 2.
W. H. Love, city.
John Odle, city.
W. H. Woods, Route 5.
Tom Davis, city.
G. W. Webb, Route 5.
W. C. Wilson, city.
John Thompson, city.
J. R. Lindsey, Route 4.
G. C. Ford, city.
Moulten Braswell, city.

Mrs. Jack Wilson, 703 C Avenue, Lawton, Oklahoma, sends renewal cash for the Daily Courier-Gazette. She is a Collin county born and reared lady, formerly living here in McKinney.

Dr. Chas. W. Estes of Denton, wife and two daughters, came over to McKinney Thursday morning to visit at the home of Contractor George B. Hughes and wife. In the afternoon, Dr. Estess and Mr. Hughes drove up to Sherman on business.

Mrs. T. M. Walker and daughter, Mrs. S. N. Lonsford, and granddaughters, Misses Virginia and Mildred Lonsford, have just returned from a two weeks' visit near Merkel, West Texas. On their return trip home Sunday, they reported rain from Merkel to a point between Dallas and Fort Worth.

Paschal Martin and wife of Edinburg, Texas, arrived in McKinney Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Couch. Mr. Martin is an employe of the Edinburg post office. While on their way to McKinney they stopped for a visit with his brother, Homer Martin, at Robstown, Texas.

Land Commissioner.

Walter E. Jones, 3,122.
J. H. Walker, 4,032.

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Railroad Commissioner.

W. Gregory Hatcher, 1,799.
Jas. L. McNees, 801.
H. O. Johnson, 545.
John Pundt, 2,612.
Lon A. Smith, 1,246.

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Supreme Court.

H. S. Lattimore, 2,459.
James W. McClendon, 1,889.
John H. Sharp, 2,694.

W. M. McCraw Leads In Race for Attorney-General

J. E. McDonald, Lockhart, And Lattimore Lead Ticket

James V. Allred, Attorney General of Texas, and Tom F. Hunter, both residents of Wichita Falls, must go into a four-week run-off campaign, ending with the second primary election on Aug. 25, for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Texas. Nomination in Texas is considered equivalent to election.

Additional returns compiled by the Texas Election Bureau, Inc., acounted for 710,308 votes out of something fewer than 1,000,000 cast in Saturday's primary, but these additional votes did not disturb the relative standing of the six candidates for Governor. Allred maintained his relative lead throughout the counting of the votes.

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Tabulation by the Texas Election Bureau from 239 counties, including 64 complete, accounting for 710,308 votes, shows:

Senator—Bailey 246,796, Connally 388,516, Fisher 27,175.

Governor — Allred 210,912, Hughes 41,549, Hunter 170.614, McDonald 148,289, Russell 3,155, Small 90,929, Witt 44,860.

Lieutenant Governor—Berkely 52,756, Hornsby 90,235, Johnson 67,074, Moore 118,928, Rogers 52,764, Woodul 226,217.

Attorney General—McCraw, 251,-737, Smith 134,442, Woodward 242,312.

Comptroller—Clary 49,378, Patterson 124,197, Sheppard 374,591, Tillison 49,841.

Treasurer—Griffin 48,112, Lockhart 319,366, Terrell 161,551, Waller 71,058.

Agricultural Commissioner Conley 79,562, Davis 134,015, McDonald 287,168, Terrell 94,310.

Land Commissioner—Jones 196,-631, Wakler 375,745.

Rail Commissioner—Hatcher 131,711, McNees 51,408, Johnson 93,596, Pundt 148,932, Smith 176,-346.

Supreme Court—Lattimore 240,-997, McClendon 157,160, Sharp 190,008.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(July 29, 1909.)

Virginia, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Q. Smith, is quite ill with fever.

Mrs. David Ditto of Dallas is visiting at the home of her uncle, W. E. Ditto, and family, here.

John W. Gay, 71, died at Culleoka today of injuries sustained when he was thrown from a wagon by a runaway team at Blue Ridge yesterday.

Jim P. Thomas, one of Uncle Sam's popular young mailing clerks at the McKinney Post Office, has been on the sick list for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Owen have returned to their home at Oak Cliff after a visit to the latter's sister, Mrs. W. M. Kerr, and husband in the Vineland community.

Dr. J. Knight, osteopathic physician, has located in McKinney. He has opened offices over the Collin County National bank. Dr. Knight comes from Commerce where he was born and reared and where he is a member of an honored pioneer family. He has been practicing for four years and comes highly recommended.

DESCENDANTS SALATHIAL COFFEY AND WIFE COMMEMORATE 79TH YEAR OF THEIR SETTLEMENT IN COLLIN COUNTY

ABOUT 200 RELATIVES FROM OVER TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA GATHER IN FINCH PARK AT McKINNEY IN SEVENTH ANNUAL EVENT—JESS COFFEY CHAIRMAN OF GROUP—HE IS SUCCEED BY TINE KERBY OF FARMERSVILLE FOR ENSUING YEAR.

Descendants of Salathial Coffey and wife, to the number of more than 200, assembled in Finch park Sunday, July 22, in their seventh annual family reunion. All seven of these events have been held in Finch park except the 1933 reunion held on July 30. On that day, a steady downpour of rain fell nearly all day, which cut down the attendance. Those who did come, observed the event in the City coliseum. Many this year recalled the fine rain of a year ago and wished for a repetition of the ground soaker again this year, but the day was clear, bright and hot, with temperature ranging a little above 100 and the drouth prevailing one of the most severe in several years.

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Family Here Seventy-Nine Years.

The event, this year, commemorated the seventy-ninth anniversary of the planting of the Coffey family on Texas soil and in this county. In 1855, Salathial Coffey and wife, together with their large family of children, immigrated from Russell county, Kentucky, to Texas. It was a long journey. The family settled in the vicinity of where the Wetsel schoolhouse now stands about four miles south of McKinney. At that time, Mr. Coffey was the father of seven children, while his wife was the mother of six children, they both having been married previously. These combined families of children, with several other orphans, filled their household to overflowing. After arrival in Texas, several other children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Coffey. The first year, they lived in a one-room log house. The boys slept during the winter in the wagon bed, protected by wagon sheets stretched over "wagon bows," while the parents and girl children occupied the one room log house. The next year, Mr. Coffey and his force helped thresh wheat and did work generally over the sparsely settled community.

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Settled Old Homeplace.

Mr. Coffey purchased land east of Allen, which he improved and where he spent the remainder of his life. His days were filled with much labor and many good and kindly deeds. He and his good wife loved children. In addition to their own large family, as stated before, the condition of orphan, helpless children always appealed to their sympathetic hearts.

They took several more such little children into their home. Among them was the late Dr. W. F. Wolford of Allen, a nephew of Mr. Coffey. They assisted him and encouraged him in preparing for his profession and assisted him in getting started in the practice. He was the father of Dr. Fitzhugh Wolford and of Mrs. J. P. Harding, both now living in McKinney. Dr. Wolford was one of the most beloved physicians our county ever had. Like his foster parents, he, too, and his wife in turn were the friends of orphans, helping to raise and care for a number of them. Sterling P. Coffey of McKinney, the youngest child of Salathial Coffey, now owns the old farm homestead of his parents east of Allen. He and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Jane Liggett, of Bellevue, Texas, are the only living members of the large family of children of Salathial Coffey and wife. Both of them were present Sunday to enjoy the splendid dinner and the social intercourse in pleasant conversation and reminiscences indulged in by everybody present.

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Feast of Good Things.

The women of the family vied with each other in cooking good things for the annual dinner, which were spread on one long table, under the shade of pecan trees. About 1:00 o'clock, Gabe Kerby, president of the family reunion organization last year, announced dinner ready and presented Rev. J. Ben Snider who offered the invocation. Barbecue meat was furnished in abundance and some brought choice country ham. These meats together with potatoes, salads, jellies and every other kind of good things to eat, including pies and cakes were brought out. When all had finished, plenty was left to feed as many more.

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Informal Program.

After the dinner and the dishes, baskets and boxes had been cleared away, the relatives gathered at the bandstand where Jess Coffey, president of the family group this year, presided and presented an informal program, consisting of talks and readings. Among those whom he presented for talks were: Walter B. Wilson, one of the editors of this paper, who has been adopted as a member of the family group and who has attended each of the seven annual reunions. Editor F. C. Thompson of the Examiner, who has likewise been adopted into the family for these reunion occasions, responded with a talk, both humorous and serious at times. Others making talks were Doc Coffey of Ardmore, Oklahoma; Mrs. Nancy Jane Liggett of Bellevue, Texas; Sterling P. Coffey, who gave some interesting family history concerning his parents; Gabe Kerby, Mrs. Doc Coffey of Ardmore, Oklahoma; Mrs. S. P. Coffey; Dr. John C. Coffey and wife of Benjamin, Knox county, West Texas; Bet Cook, County Treasurer Byron England, Mrs. Tine Kerby of Farmersville; Mrs. Marshall Martin, Homer L. Coffey and a reading by little Patsy Ruth Garrett, which was greatly enjoyed.

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Officers for Next Year.

President Jess Coffey, a young McKinney business man, called for election of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

President—Tine Kerby of Farmersville.

Vice-President—Earl Walker, McKinney.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Walter Holland, McKinney, was re-elected.

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Coffey Family Reunion Notes

R. B. Whisenant of Allen was present, this year, greatly to the enjoyment of the many relatives. He was born, January 18, 1843, being now in his ninety-second year. He is a son-in-law of Salathial Coffey. He is bright mentally and takes a lively interest in public affairs. He lives in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Melton, at Allen, who tenderly care for him. He is the father of Milt Whisenant, one of our county's most influential and capable business men.

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Buddy Garrett, wife and pretty little four-year-old daughter, Patsy Ruth, of New Orleans, arrived in McKinney Saturday on a ten days' vacation. They are guests in the home of L. T. Garrett and wife, parents of Buddy Garrett. The latter is a traveling salesman out of New Orleans for a big wholesale concern. Patsy Ruth is one of the prettiest and brightest little four-year-olds you ever saw. She had a part on the program with a reading. She is a popular favorite. Mrs. Buddy Garrett is a cultured, well educated young matron.

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Mayor Joe E. Largent and wife were the guests for a short time of the Coffey descendants at their annual picnic. This worthy McKinney couple were preparing to leave the same afternoon on a two weeks' vacation in Colorado.

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Willis Osburn and brother, Vernon, both of Paducah, attended the reunion. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Osburn of Paducah. Their mother was formerly Miss Tressie Coffey, daughter of R. H. Coffey, the Lucas merchant. Willis Osburn is a student in the Decatur Baptist college, where he expects to begin his sophomore year early in September. In the meantime, he is helping his grandfather, R. H. Coffey, in the latter's store, at Lucas.

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Dr. John C. Coffey and wife of Benjamin, Knox county, West Texas, came again to attend their family reunion, this year. Dr. Coffey is the son of the late Sheriff W. S. Coffey of McKinney and a grandson of Salathial Coffey. His wife was also a Coffey, having been born and reared near Van Alstyne belonging to a distantly related branch of the Coffey family to that of Salathial Coffey. Dr. Coffey was chairman of the dry forces that recently retained Knox county on the anti-beer list of a vote of more than two to one. Dr. Coffey and his good wife did yeomen service for the cause of Prohibition in this recent contest in that county.

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Mrs. W. J. Ledbetter of Paducah, Cottle county, was present at the picnic again this year. She was formerly Miss Laura Coffey, being a daughter of the late Sheriff W. S. Coffey of McKinney. Three of her children attended the picnic Sunday. They were Mrs. Vertis Anderson, husband and two children of Paducah where the husband is in the tailoring business. Another daughter of Mrs. Ledbetter present was Mrs. G. Coleman of Paducah and her little daughter. Mrs. Ledbetter's son, Horace Ledbetter and wife of Fort Worth were also present.

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Tine Kerby, prominent grocery merchant of Farmersville and a member of the City council, attended the reunion. He is a grandson of Salathial Coffey. He was elected chairman of the family group for the ensuing year. His wife and two daughters, Mary Ann, and Katherine Joseph, came over to the reunion with them.

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Alonzo Richards, a fine old farmer citizen of near Allen, and wife, greatly enjoyed the reunion. Mrs. Richards is a daughter of Aunt Nancy Jane Liggett of Bellevue who is the only daughter living out of the big family of children of Salathial Coffey and wife. Mrs. Liggett has been visiting in the Richards home for several weeks.

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Lester Floyd and wife of Plano mingled with their many relatives at the reunion. Mrs. Floyd was formerly Miss Juanita McKinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McKinney of this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Melton of Allen helped make the reunion a success again, this year. Mrs. Melton was formerly Miss Mayo Whisenant, daughter of R. B. Whisenant, veteran Allen citizen and ex-Confederate soldier. Mr. Melton served as Postmaster, at Allen, for a number of years, only recently retiring from that position of trust. He made a good one too.

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Former County Tax Assessor Orlia J. Moss, wife and children are always an important part in the success of these family reunions. Mr. Moss is now holding a responsible position in Tarrant county with headquarters in Fort Worth as an administrator in the farm relief legislation. Mrs. Moss and children have a cottage on Lake Worth which they occupy while their husband and father remains in Tarrant county on official duty. They own a nice home on South Parker street, this city.

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Mrs. Dennis Goode of Plano greatly enjoyed the reunion and fellowship with her numerous relatives. She is the mother of former County Tax Assessor Orlia J. Moss and also of Mrs. Walter Holland, wife of the chief linotype operator of this paper.

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Sherman Smith and wife of Donna were present. Mr. Smith is a great-grandson of Salathial Coffey. He and his wife are living at the splendid big farm home of the latter's mother, Mrs. W. P. Abernathy at Donna.

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Relatives greatly missed the presence, this year, of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunter and pretty little four-year-old daughter, Virginia Ann, of Amarillo. Mrs. Hunter was formerly Miss Ruth Coffey, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John C. Coffey of Benjamin, Texas. Mrs. Hunter, who has been a teacher for seven or eight years in the Amarillo City schools, is attending the summer sessions of the Northwest Texas State Teachers college, at Canyon City.

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Sterling P. Coffey in his reminiscences told about a late freeze that visited this country in May about 1856. As he remembered the time, as told to him by his parents and others. The unusual late spring freeze killed corn, cotton and wheat. Some burned off their wheat fields. However, his father did not burn off his wheat, which later suckered out and made a yield of ten bushels per acre.

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Rev. J. Ben Snider, a local Baptist minister, made a very interesting talk. He was reared in the same vicinity with the Coffeys and told many interesting experiences of childhood days with the Coffey descendants.

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Former County Tax Assessor Orlia J. Moss is a past president of the Coffey family reunion. He made a good one. He is a natural born leader and organizer—a useful church and civic worker, whom the Federal Government drafted several months ago to help carry out its farm relief program. He was also made Collin county appraiser for the Federal Home Loan law of which Hon. H. H. Neilson is the attorney. Mr. Moss is a pleasing public speaker. He is well adapted to preside and to make a miscellaneous program interesting.

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Mrs. Doc Coffey of Ardmore, Okla., was born near Celina in this county. She is a granddaughter of the late Uncle Dickie Byrd. However, she left the county for Oklahoma when she was a little child. Her husband is a son of the late Mint Coffey who moved to Oklahoma about a half century ago. Mint Coffey was one of the several sons of Uncle Salathial Coffey.

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Gabe Kerby, a McKinney business man is a splendid organizer. He was formerly president of the Coffey family descendants for one year. He makes a good presiding officer. He made an interesting talk, abjuring his kinspeople to continue to walk in paths of honor and usefulness and to always be a credit to their honored forbears. Gabe is a brother of ex-Sheriff Will A. Kerby of this city.

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Mrs. Sterling P. Coffey of this city is one of McKinney's most devout Christian women and neighbors. She made a very interesting and inspiring talk. She stated that forty-eight years ago yesterday (July 21, 1886) she became the bride of Sterling P. Coffey, youngest child of Salathial Coffey and wife. Her maiden name was Miss Ida Rountree. She read a brief newspaper account of the wedding by the officiating clergyman, the late Eld. J. B. Faulkner, father of Mrs. Tom W. Perkins of McKinney. The article was published in the old McKinney Enquirer which ceased publication thirty-five years ago. The article shows that on July 22, 1886, that a big infair dinner was given at the home of Uncle Sales Coffey. That was exactly fifty-eight years ago from the date of the Coffey family reunion, this year. Eld. Faulkner said in his article, "This too was a grand occasion. Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren to the number of 160 and with other relatives and friends, in all perhaps 200, were assembled with Aunt Mary and Uncle Sales. These old people were so overjoyed at seeing their family so nearly all together that they shed tears of joy. It was one of the finest dinners that I ever saw spread. These old people did everything to make everybody happy."

Mrs. J. H. Scott, 1202 A Northeast, Ardmore, Oklahoma, was visiting her son, Frank Scott, of McKinney, and her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dulan Scott of Chambersville. Her son, Frank, has been connected with the Scott & Cole filling stations at McKinney for a couple of years. These papers acknowledge a welcome call from her, made in company with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dulan Scott and friend, Mrs. W. T. Dunn. She greatly enjoyed the baby show at our big picnic and pronounced it a wonderful showing of pretty, well developed little Collin county cherubs.

Mrs. H. A. Abernathy, who recently submitted to an appendicitis operation in the City hospital, is convalescing, being able to be up some now. Her husband is a lawyer and veteran McKinney abstractor.

BRANCH

Miss Myrtle Lafon

Mrs. Dick Kirby of Hollis, Okla., spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. L. C. Lafon.

Mrs. Cora McQuire of Clearlake visited her daughter, Mrs. John Lafon Tuesday.

B. W. Welborn and family are visiting in Clovis, N. Mex., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDaniel are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall, and her sister, Mrs. Eldon McCoy. Their home is in New Mexico.

Mrs. John Lafon and children visited Mrs. Uerry Reeder of Higgins Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Gautney and children of Bloomdale are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Denison.

J. B. Marshall of West Columbia spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Marshall.

Grover Denison and family of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Denison, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and daughter, Mrs. Eldon McCoy, visited relatives in Oklahoma Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stapp, Mr. and Mrs. Bates Coddle, son, Mr. and Mrs. Edd McCoy and son of Mesquite spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bishop of Cumberland, Okla., visited Mrs. J. R. Nickerson the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Denison visited relatives in Dallas Tuesday.

Mrs. Gordon Kirby and children visited her mother, Mrs. Bob Denison Saturday.

The Ernest McWilliams home in the Cow Skin community burned last week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Subject to the action of the Democratic Run-Off Primary Aug. 25, 1934.

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For Congress Fourth District:
SAM RAYBURN.

For State Senator (10th Senatorial District):
WALLACE HUGHSTON.

For Flotorial Representative, Collin-Grayson Counties:
GROVER BURTON.

For Local Representative:
BYRON ENGLAND.

For District Clerk:
TOM L. BAILEY.

For Sheriff:
G. J. S. WALKER.

For County Attorney:
HORACE H. NEILSON.

For Assessor-Collector:
N. D. READY.

For County Clerk:
MRS. PEARL STROTHER.

For County Superintendent:
L. DOW HENDRICKS.
J. W. MOSELEY.

For County Treasurer:
MISS LELA COPELAND.

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
DON O. DAVIS.

For Commissioner Precinct 2:
LEVI BASS.
J. W. (WILSON) SPAIN.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
C. C. WHITT.
EDGAR LAMM.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
G. FRANK KERBY.

For Justice Peace Precinct No. 1:
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For Constable, Precinct 1:
JOHN A. RECORD.
HESTER LEWIS.

In Run-Off For Commissioner

LEVI BASS

To voters, Commissioners Precinct No. 2, Collin county:

I am deeply indebted to you for the fine support given me in the Democratic Primary of July 28 that resulted in my being second in the race for County Commissioner with only about 163 behind the leader with five candidates in the race.

No one can possibly appreciate his friends more than I do. I thank, from the bottom of my heart, every man and woman who voted for me, or spoke a good word in favor of my candidacy.

I have no ill will in my heart for those who exercised their free-born privilege as an American citizen to vote for any of my honorable opponents. You have a perfect right to vote as you please. I not only crave the frendship of all, regardless of how you voted, but I do hope that I have conducted myself so that you, who did not vote for me in the first primary may see your way clear to support me in the run-off of August 25.

I am making the race on my qualifications to fill the office and my record as a good citizen.

I do not want to win on the demerits of anybody.

May I remind you that I made my first race six years ago, then being second man in the race. But, I declined to then enter the run-off primary, conceding the office to my opponent, who received a substantial plurality in the first primary. I bided my time until he served two terms, when I again announced for the office two years ago.

In that race there were six of us candidates, four of them from my own community. I then lacked only 21 votes of getting into the run-off with Mr. Spain, who was elected to his third term.

I was urged by many voters to announce again, this year which I did with the result as above stated, coming out a close second and eligible for the run-off.

I am in the prime of life, am a native of the community where I still live on the farm. I certainly hope the majority of the voters of Precinct No. 2 may decide that I am entitled to and worthy of the honor and important office of County Commissioner when they come to vote on August 25.

Allow me to thank you in advance for whatever your good judgment may lead you to do in my behalf.

Yours very respectfully,
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Candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, Democratic Run-off Primary, Saturday, August 25.

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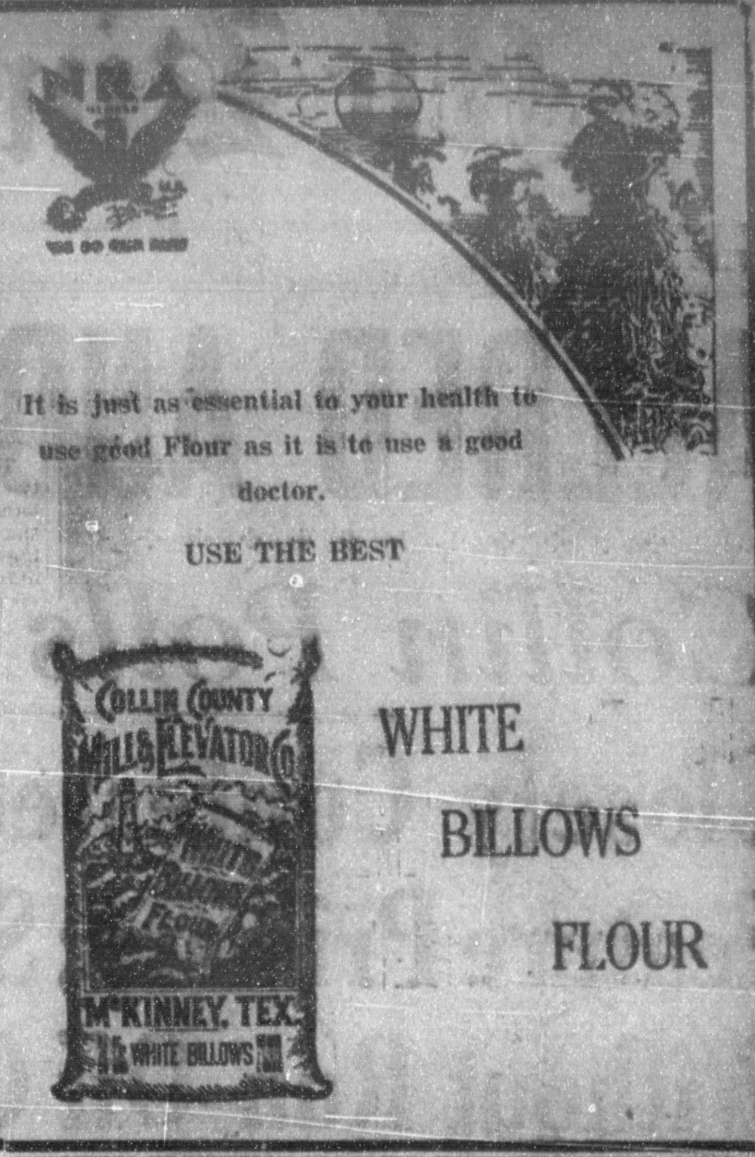

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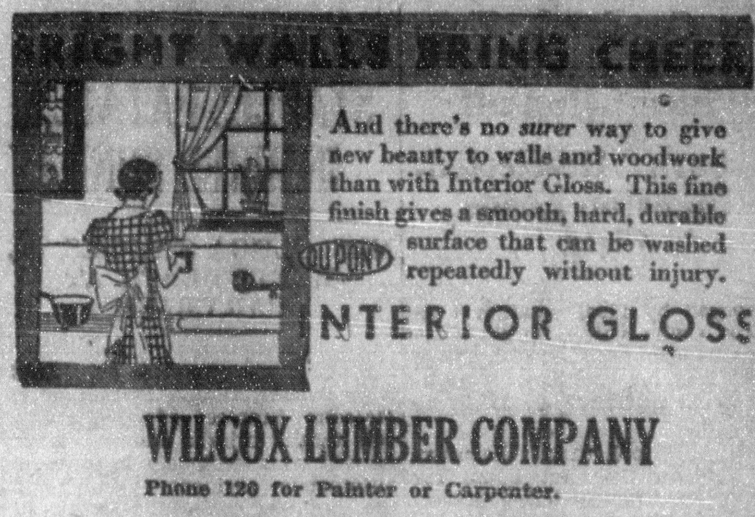

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Chairman of Board

ADD G. WILSON

d G. Wilson, who becomes rman of the Board in the new ral National Bank set-up, is tive of our city and one of two City Commissioners at resent time. He is the scion e of the earliest families to in what is now Collin coun- he first of his forebears came in the last years of the Texas blic. His father and grand- r Wilson came here about and settled in the Ash e community about eight north of McKinney. That was e McKinney was started or ome into existence. His uncle, . (Uncle Gus) Wilson, the living member of his father's y, still resides in the old stead at Ash Grove. Add G. n was educated in McKin- Public Schools and graduated the Texas A. & M. College. ollowed in the footsteps of his red father, the late T. B. n, in land surveying, abstract- farm land ownership and gement and in the banking ess. Mr. Wilson served as dent of the Central State . In the Nationalizing of this ution, he received a deserved otion to the Chairmanship of oard. Mr. Wilson is regarded safe, shrewd, successful busi- an and banker. He possesses confidence of his home town county people to a remarkable e. He is public spirited and active in civic and church af-

Assistant Cashier

LARRY F. DRAKE

E. Baker and wife of Chil- , Texas, who have been at- ng the big McKinney picnic recently, came to Prosper sit his mother, Mrs. J. W. r and his brother, W. M. r and other relatives. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse n, the latter being a sister rs. Baker. The Bakers were d at Prosper but moved away hillicothe, Texas, in 1915. In they moved to Childress, e Mr. Baker served eight s as city clerk. However, he w manager of a big gin in near Childress.

e thirty-second annual Blue picnic will be held in that little northeast Collin town, ust 2, 3, and 4. An array of kers will be scheduled on day's program and the Roy er carnival attractions will amusement for the throng tic visitors. A ball game afternoon between colored s of Commerce and Durant, will entertain the visitors Officers of the Blue Ridge c association are J. W. Moul- J. F. Dixon, Mrs. J. O. Nei- and Lou Richardson. Every- is invited to attend the s day event.

W. G. Stroup, wife and hter, Miss Mary Ida of Paris, ded the annual reunion of the up-Bailey-Littlejohn and Gris- families held in Finch park nesday, July 25. Dr. Stroup born and reared in the New community in East Collin e his mother, Mrs. O. J. up, still lives on her old home Miss Mary Ida Stroup is a e student in the East Texas Teacher's college at Com-

President Central National

FLETCHER B. POPE

In the change of the Central State Bank to a National banking institution, with an increase of capital stock from $75,000 to $100,000, Fletcher B. Pope becomes one of its larger stockholders and the capable president of the institution. Mr. Pope was reared on a farm near McKinney, being a son of the late Dr. W. B. Pope, veterinarian, and wife. He had the benefit only of a public school education, but is regarded as among our best informed citizens on general information and one of our county's shrewdest and most successful business men and capitalists. No man in McKinney has done more to help build the town into a larger and more pretentious city than has Fletcher B. Pope. He is the builder and owner of the Pope Theater building and numerous other brick business and office buildings and various kinds of other business and residential rental property. He is also the owner of much first-class Collin farm land, besides owner of corporation stock in the way of flour milling property, insurance and other forms of stocks and corporate investments. He is president of the King Wholesale Grocery Houses of McKinney and Denton and is either the directing head or on the Board of Directors of other corporations too numerous to mention. He has had previous banking experience, enjoying an enviable reputation in making a larger success of enterprises with which he becomes connected. He is philanthropic in his impulses, whose most important benefaction to his home city was the building and presenting free of debt of the splendid big two-story modern brick Nurses' Home, supplementing the McKinney City Hospital property. He has traveled much and once made a tour around the world with his wife, during which he saw much of Europe, Asia and a part of the Continent of Africa and has also traveled in Mexico, Central and South America. With all of his business activities and other demands upon him, Mr. Pope retains his active membership in the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, and is always found in the front rank of civic workers pulling for the good of his home town, county and state.

WESTON

Miss Leota Stiles

A surprise birthday dinner was given Mrs. R. C. Cook Monday.

Miss Jimmie Frair spent Tuesday with Miss Iowana Brown.

A large crowd was present at singing Wednesday night.

Mrs. Mary Frair spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Pauline Parker.

Miss Varie Frair spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Edd Craven.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frair spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stiles.

Sunday guests of Miss Louise Carruth were Misses Marie Hamilton and Marie Gracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Luscomb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown.

Miss Grace Hobson spent Sunday with Misses Lena Leota Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayes and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mayes.

Miss Grace Lee and Mrs. Bennett of Celina spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Betty and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Betty and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bursh Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Estep and family visited relatives at Colbert, Okla., the past week-end.

Miss Dimple Wade is visiting Miss Agnes Comer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Pope were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gracey Sunday.

An all day singing will be held the fifth Sunday at the Baptist church.

Simon H. Taylor, while in town here stated that he greatly enjoyed a recent visit to his native home county—DeKalb county, Tenn. He was there from July 1 to about July 10 or 11, during which period three or four good rains fell. Crops there are excellent this year and grass is fine. Mr. Taylor is a prominent Melissa farmer. His brother, R. L. Taylor of Srowall, Texas and their aged father, T. J. Taylor, went with him on the trip.

McKinney's importance as a financial center has been definitely improved by the announcement, effective July 27, of the Comptroller of the Currency, at the national capital, Washington, D. C., that the Central State bank has been changed to the Central National bank of McKinney, with capital stock increased from $75,000 to $100,000 and with surplus and undivided profits in excess of $11,000.

This nationalization of this twenty-nine year-old McKinney banking institution is in line with the general tendency of the banking system in recent months to nationalize in order to better meet the needs of the "New Deal" by strengthening itself with increased capital and facilities for more adequately meeting the demands upon the bank by the territory which it serves.

National bank examiners pronounced the assets of the Central State bank entirely acceptable to the National Banking department.

The steady increase in business of this bank from the time of its establishment twenty-nine years ago and, especially in recent years, justifies this increase in capital and other facilities for serving the needs of this great agricultural and livestock county.

Mr. Eubanks, active vice-president and cashier, expresses the conviction that Collin county is in good shape as to having strong banks. But, in the last year or two, the number of banks in the county have greatly decreased and therefore those banks remaining must be prepared to meet the increased demands upon them by the nearly 50,000 people in this wonderful agricultural county.

The common stock of the Central National bank is wholly owned by local McKinney and Collin county citizens of the most substantial financial rating and outstanding business ability and influence generally as citizens.

The bank owns its own big two-story and basement brick building, with up-to-date bank fixtures and furniture equipment. The bank is located on the northeast corner of the public square.

In a page advertisement elsewhere in this paper the newly chartered Central National of McKinney extends thanks to the public generally for patronage of a steadily increasing volume during its past.

Now since it is better situated than ever to serve the public, it cordially invites and urges you to give it a liberal share of your present and future business with the positive assurance that no legitimate accommodation that it can afford will be withheld.

F. B. Pope, New President.

Officers and employes of the newly chartered Central National bank of McKinney are:

Add G. Wilson, Chairman of the Board.

Fletcher B. Pope, President.

W. Avery Dowell, Vice-President.

A. H. Eubanks, Active Vice-President and Cashier.

Directors—Add G. Wilson, F B. Pope, W. Avery Dowell, A. H. Eubanks, Judge F. E. Wilcox, S. P. Coffey, Dr. C. T. Lewis and Ed G. West.

First Assistant Cashier—W. Sims Cameron; Assistant Cashiers—Larry F. Drake, and J. Lovejoy Comegys.

Other employes—J. C. Stewart, C. G. West, Voyn Fagg, Wilburn Hill and Mrs. Mary Copus.

Colored Janitor—Wilbur Johnson.

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Open House on Election Night.

In acordance with its custom of several years.. practice, the Central National bank of McKinney kept open house Saturday night from 7 o'clock, July 28, on election day, purely for social purposes.

The lobby of the bank was crowded for several hours by visitors ,a number of whom being bankers from other towns and clites who paid fraternal visits, and, at the same time, were enabled to see and hear election returns and election bulletins as posted on the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and Daily Courier-Gazette bulletin board by the election bureau, the bulletin board being located on the west wall of the Dr. Erwin building, just across the street from the bank.

Officials of the bank and employes were present to receive and welcome all callers.

The bank had just received its charter as a national bank effective July 27. The occasion was in celebration of the change from a state to a national financial institution with capital stock increased from $75,000 to $100,000.

Friends in and out of the city sent beautiful flowers which were attractively displayed in all parts of the bank and converted the lobby into a perfect floral bower of beauty and fragrance.

Officers of the bank and their wives were present as follows: Add G. Wilson, chairman of the board; Fletcher B. Pope, who becomes President and head of the bank with its national license; W. Avery Dowell, vice-president; A. H. Eubanks, active vice-president and cashier.

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Active V. President and Cashier

A. H. EUBANKS

Regarded as one of our state's most widely known, safest and popular bankers, is A. Hardy Eubanks, Active Vice-President and Cashier of the new Central National, superceding the Central State bank, with which he was connected in the same capacity for the last nine or ten years. Born on a farm in the extreme northeastern part of Collin county, and reared as an orphan amid the hardships and rugged life of the average class of such farm boys, Mr. Eubanks developed into a stalwart, vigorous young fellow physically, of more than six feet in height, of keen intellect and well poised, sound and safe judgment that have stood him in such good stead in the banking carreer that he early in life drifted into. He began at the very bottom and as bookkeeper, teller, director, cashier and bank examiner. He was for several years cashier of the bank at Mexia and then secretary-treasurer to the Humphreys Oil Co., operating in Texas and other states. He came from that position back to his native Collin county home to accept the vice-presidency and cashiership of the Central State bank, as stated above, nine or ten years ago. Despite the stressful period of a post-war readjustment and long continued, blighting depression, Mr. Eubanks has remained at the helm in the active direction of the Central State and steadily increased it in volume of business and popular favor and confidence of the people of the entire city and county. He is a born leader in civic and church as well as in business affairs and refuses to allow the heavy demands of business upon him keep him from giving much attention to every movement of those kinds for the advancement of his home people. This is especially true through his Chamber of Commerce work and his interest in the Collin County Fair, of which he is the present official head as president. He also served a couple of years as president of the Chamber of Commerce; is a member of the City School Board and chairman of the Board of Trustees of the First Baptist church. During every year he makes more or less trips to the state capital at Austin in the interest of good roads and state and federal aid for the public welfare work of his home county for which he ardently works and freely gives of his valuable time at no expense whatever to the taxpayers and his fellow citizens.

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Continues As Vice President

W. AVERY DOWELL

Another native McKinney son, in the person of W. Avery Dowell, fills the important post of vice-president of the newly organized Central National bank. Born and educated in McKinney Public schools, this pre-eminently successful McKinney business man, merchant and capitalist, had thrust upon his shoulders almost by the time he had reached majority, the responsibility of directing head of the J. P. Dowell Wholesale and Retail Hardware and Furniture establishment, by the untimely death of his lamented father, who passed away in the summer of 1898, being the eldest of four brothers. When the premature death of his father occurred, Avery Dowell assumed charge of this pioneer McKinney mercantile business that was established about sixty years ago. With the aid of his brothers, all of whom have been and are still actively identified with the institution, he has built the J. P. Dowell business until it is rated as among the strongest and the most extensive concerns of the kind in the entire South.

Its mail order business runs into the thousands of dollars, with some of it being export business to foreign countries. Mr. Dowell has always appreciated the desirability of real estate holdings in McKinney and over our great agricultural county, as is shown by his ownership in these lines of investment. He is also extensively interested in corporations and other institutions. His well poised judgment and level headed advice is always sought in economic, commercial, civic and even in political matters. Retiring in disposition and never seeking the limelight, preferring public honors and offices to go to others, yet his counsel is constantly sought, and his interest enlisted in every worthwhile movement in behalf of McKinney and Collin county. He is a past president for four or five years of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce and also of the Collin county fair. In fact, he is one of the original organizers and promoters of the latter institution. Local banking circles are greatly strengthened in the good will and confidence of the public by connection therewith of such capable and honorable business as W. Avery Dowell.

Director

Dr. C. T. Lewis has been elected to the Board of Directors of the newly Nationalized bank, a position he also held in the Central State bank organization. He was one of the original stockholders when this important North Texas judiciary institution was first organized in McKinney twenty-nine years ago. Dr. Lewis was reared on a farm in the Rhea's Mill community. He studied medicine and successfully practiced his profession for many years in the Franklin Schoolhouse community, eight miles northwest of McKinney. By the exercise of his medical skill sound business judgment in the accumulation and management of his farm lands, livestock and other activities, he won for his name a commanding place in the esteem of his wide acquaintanceship for success in any venture on which he became interested. He is a man of good judgment, of few words and quiet, courteous demeanor towards everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Marion Taylor and Miss Eunice Maxwell, all of Dallas came up to McKinney Wednesday evening, being called here by the death of their aunt, Mrs. J. W. Hamilton.

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Director

JUDGE FRANK E. WILCOX

District Judge Frank E. Wilcox continues on the Board of Directors in the newly organized National bank that succeeds the Central State. In fact, he was one of the original stockholders in the Continental Bank & Trust company when it was first organized in the spring of 1905 and in turn changed to the Central State bank fourteen years ago and now becomes the Central National bank of McKinney. Judge Wilcox is a native of Collin county. His father, the late J. M. Wilcox, founder of the Wilcox Lumber business of more than sixty years ago, was a university graduate, longtime Justice of the Peace, and regarded as one of the most successful lumber men in the state. Judge Wilcox's mother was a sister of the late Gov. James W. Throckmorton, Collin county's most eminent citizen in its entire eighty-eight year career. Judge Wilcox received his education in the public schools and the State university and also graduated from the law department of the State university. He engaged in the mercantile and lumber business in his younger days, was elected to the State Legislature where he served with pre-eminent ability, being the author of some of the best laws still on our statute books. He was a successful practitioner at the bar and has been repeatedly elected to the District Court bench of the Fifty-Ninth Judicial District, including courts at both McKinney and Sherman. He is also president of the Wilcox Lumber company that owns and operates several lumber yards at McKinney and other points in the county. He is regarded as an able lawyer, capable jurist and a citizen of commanding influence in his home city and county in business affairs as well as in judicial matters and interpretation and application of the laws of our country.

Director

Sterling P. Coffey, who continues on the Board of Directors, is regarded as one of McKinney's most highly esteemed and successful retired business men and citizen of wide influence over the county. He was born in this county. His branch of the Coffey family came to Texas from Kentucky in 1859. For seventy-nine years, it has grown and multiplied, not only in numbers, but in influence and service. During this period its members have been to fill almost every public honor that the county has had to bestow. Sterling P. Coffey farmed in the earlier years of his life and succeeded in that calling. After moving to McKinney he engaged in business activities in which he won a high degree of confidence and respect of his fellow citizens for his success, sound business judgment, honor and integrity. He has been a stockholder and a director in this bank for many years.

This editor had the pleasure recently of meeting up with an old friend, Ira H. Lee, who lives on his splendid farm one-and-a-half miles west of Celina. We met him in the latter city Wednesday afternoon. He brought into town with him a stalk of cotton on which two bolls were open. The stalk was very small on account of the dry weather. Mr. Leigh stated that unless rain came soon to cause it to grow and refruit itself again, his cotton yield would be meager indeed. His good wife is visiting her old home at Howardstown, Ky., for the first time in twenty-five years.

Prof. John W. Gladden and wife have returned to their home in Lockhart where he is principal of the High school, after a visit to his father, E. A. Gladden, at Celina, where he was born and reared. Prof. Gladden is college educated and a successful teacher who has already finished a good part of the work on his Master's degree.

Francis Stroup of Denton, son of the late Prof. S. S. Stroup of Verona, is working on the thesis of his Master's Degree at the North Texas State Teacher's college, Denton, this summer. His mother, has been a teacher in the Denton public schols for several years. He is a bright young man, an expert swimmer and his thesis has for its subject "The Art and Advantages of Swimming."

Director

ED G. WEST

Ed G. West continues as a director of the Central National bank, in which capacity he served on the Central State Bank Board. He came to McKinney more than thirty years ago. By his own energy, industry, determented by members of other er, he has attained success in his chosen calling as the head of the McKinney Steam Laundry. This is one of the most modern plants of the kind in this section of the state. By fair and satisfactory dealing, Mr. West has built up an extensive and dependable patronage for this important McKinney business enterprise. He has a host of friends and acquaintances. He is rated among McKinney's most highly esteemed and generally respected citizens.

LONG DISTANCE PHONE INQUIRY TO COURIER-GAZETTE

About midnight Saturday night, Homer W. (Woodrow) Wilson received a long distance telephone call from Clarence Kerby, manager of the J. C. Penney store at Hattiesburg, Miss. Clarence was born and reared near McKinney and formerly clerked in stores in this city. The purpose of his long distance phone call was to learn from Woodrow, who was working in the election bureau force collecting returns, how his father, County Commissioner G. Frank Kerby, fared in the race that day for re-election. He was happy to learn that his father was an apparent winner by a substantial majority and wished Woodrow to thank his many old home friends personally for their kindness to his good Dad in re-electing him to a second term.

Mrs. Glenn B. Scott and Mrs. Edward Bolger, twin sister, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Perry of Allen, have returned home from Austin where they have been taking some special courses in the State University, there. These young ladies have been students in the State University on several occasions before.

NEW LIBERTY

Mary Ellen Bowden, Corr.

Misses Bessie and Frances Craighead are visiting relatives in Cleburn and Dallas.

Mrs. Mattie Burkett and children of aFrmersville are visiting Mrs. Will Pendleton and family.

Miss Wilma Johnson spent last week visiting her grandfather of Bethlehem.

Mrs. C. H. McLeod and sons, Clifford and Carloe Ray, spent part of the week with her mother, Mrs. K. B. Thompson.

Miss Mada Mayo of Dallas has been visiting her brother, Lawrence Mayo and father.

Morris Prater has returned from a visit with his brother in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho McLeod and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McLeod and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McLeod of McKinney.

Joe M. Howard and children, Jack and Joe of Smyer were here last week-end visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Willie Craighead and son of Cleburne are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Craighead.

Miss Nina Bell Johnson is visiting her grandfather in Bethlehem.

Mrs. H. H. Smith and son, oJe Burt, visited her mother, Mrs. Gladden of Springhill, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Smith of Brushy gave the B. Y. P. U. a social Thursday night which was greatly enjoyed. After playing several games refreshments were served to the following: Misses Lillian Clark, Oleta Johnson, Eula Mae Sellers, Eidalene Hackett, Mariella Bowden, Davis Tripp, Nellie and Mildred Becknell, James and Snider Bowden, Mabron Johnson, Elworth Middlebrook, John Clark, Morris Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, M. and Mrs. C. F. Morrison and the host and hostesses.

Miss Mariella Bowden spent Monday with Mrs. C. H. McLeod.

O. M. Cloinger, giving his home as Dallas, was seriously injured in an automobile accident which happened about 1:30 o'clock this (Friday) morning on the McKinney-Princeton road, near the Pecan Grove dairy, in the eastern part of the city. Cloinger was coming towards McKinney when his car overturned. Details of the accident weer not known. The injured man was rushed to the McKinney City hospital in the C. C. Harris Funeral home ambulance, driven by Carl McDonald. He was suffering from wounds in the chest.

Mrs. Addie Lee Williams passed away Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Harrington, in the Fanny Harrington Chapel community, following a several weeks illness.

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W. AVERY DOWELL, Vice President
A. HARDY EUBANKS, Active Vice President and Cashier

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Central National Bank of McKinney

McKinney, Texas

At the Close of Business as of July 27th, 1934.

Resources

Loans and Discounts		$306,192.30
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank		3,250.00
Banking House, F. & F.		53,400.00
Other Real Estate		3,500.00
U. S. Bonds on Deposit		73,400.00
Federal Dep. Ins. Corp.		928.06
U. S. Government Bonds	88,666.17	
Collin County Bonds	118,075.20	
Collin County Warrants	6,563.65	
Collin County School Warrants	18,636.35	
Bills of Exchange	16,976.34	
Cash and Exchange	234,257.58	
Due from County	2,700.30	
TOTAL QUICK ASSETS		485,875.59
TOTAL		$926,545.95

Liabilities

Capital Stock—Preferred	$ 50,000.00
Capital Stock—Common	50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	11,030.33
Bonds on Deposit	73,400.00
DEPOSITS	742,115.62
TOTAL	$926,545.95

The Above Statement is Correct.
A. H. EUBANKS, Active Vice President and Cashier.

TWENTY-NINE YEARS STEADY GROWTH

According to authorization of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., effective July 27, the assets of the Central State Bank were duly accepted for conversion of that institution into the newly chartered Central National Bank of McKinney with capital stock increased from $75,000 to $100,000 and surplus and undivided profits in excess of $11,000. This enlarged McKinney financial institution makes the change in keeping with the trend of the banking world throughout the country and in order to provide enlarged facilities and increased power for meeting the needs of this great agricultural and livestock county.

This bank had its beginning in 1905. It has been so conducted that for twenty-nine years it has steadily grown in strength and favor with the general patronizing public.

This bank is also anxious to be better prepared to fill its sphere in the economic and financial life of Collin county, occasioned by the decrease in the number of banks therein during recent years.

Our common stock is wholly owned by local McKinney and Collin county outstanding citizenship in varied lines of business and influence.

We are profoundly grateful for your favors and patronage through our nearly thirty years successful banking career. We can truthfully say we are in much better position now than ever before to safely, courteously and adequately serve you.

Allow us to thank you in advance for a liberal share, at least, of your present and future banking business. We appreciate your friendship. Drop in to see us.

ADD G. WILSON, Chairman of Board.
FLETCHER B. POPE, President.
W. AVERY DOWELL, Vice-President.
A. H. EUBANKS, Active Vive-President and Cashier.

W. SIMS CAMERON, First Assistant Cashier.
LARRY F. DRAKE, Assistant Cashier.
J. LOVEJOY COMEGYS, Assistant Cashier.
J. C. STEWART, Note Teller.

C. G. WEST, Teller.
VOYN FAGG, Bookkeeper.
WILBURN HILL, Bookkeeper.
MRS. MARY COPUS, Stenographer.

Board Of Directors

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FIFTY-FIRST YEAR McKINNEY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUG. 9, 1934.— —EIGHT PAGES ESTABLISHED FEBRUARY 7, 1884.

EMERGENCY CROP AND FEED LOAN OFFICE OPENED

Field Supervisor A. E. Waters of Paris, with Emergency Crop and Feed Loan office of Dallas, was in McKinney Tuesday and established an office with H. B. Bickers, Federal Relief Administrator for Collin county, at 212-14 North Kentucky street.

Applications for loans will be accepted from farmers and stockmen for the purchase of feed for farm and ranch livestock and to plant forage crops in this drouth area.

H. B. Bickers is in charge of the local office, and the County Committee directing this form of Federal Relief and cooperation consists of A. H. Eubanks, Avery Dowell and Mayor Joe E. Largent, all of McKinney.

This Emergency Loan agency for the benefit of needy farmers is under the direction of Field Supervisor A. E. Waters, as above stated.

Mr. Waters was in Sherman Monday, setting up an office, there, and is in Greenville Wednesday for the same purpose.

Mr. Waters says that upon receipt in the Dallas office in proper form, applications are given immediate consideration and checks are mailed to the borrowers promptly.

In this connection, Mr. Waters informed us that Carl Gallagher, formerly of McKinney and with the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette in various capacities for about four years is in chrage of the Emergency Feed Loan section of the Crop Loan headquarters, at Dallas, under the direction of Chas. W. Sherrill, regional manager for the states of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico.

Mr. Waters says that every effort is being put forth to expedite the disbursement of these funds and that in most cases, twenty-four hour service is being given.

In connection with the emergency feed loans, no lien is required. However, chattel mortgage lienholders, if any, are required to sign a non-disturbance agreement to accompany the promissory note and application. The agreement specifies that the borrower's property rights will not be disturbed until January 1, 1936, without written consent of the Governor, Farm Credit Administration.

Loans will be advanced in monthly installments, with a supplemental application necessary for each month's requirements.

Applications must be submitted to the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan committee for the county in which the applicant's livestock is located or forage crops to be planted.

FIFTY YEAR AGO COLUMN INTEREST HERE

The following news item appeared in the "Fifty Years Ago Column" or the Dallas News of Sunday, August 5:

"The cavalry company of Col. W. N. Bush of Collin county, 1,000 strong, which will be one of the principal features of the grand reunion of Confederate soldiers this week, will arrive at White Rock Creek this evening and camp for the night."

The Col. W. N. Bush, above referred to, died a number of years ago at his home at Allen, seven miles south of McKinney. His body is buried in Pecan Grove cemetery, here at McKinney.

He was better known to friends and the people of this county as "Captain" W. N. Bush. He was a Confederate captain and a former Sheriff of this county for two terms about fifty years ago.

Capt. Bush was the father of the late J. N. Bush and the late Price Bush, both of Allen. He was a man of great influence politically and in business circles, and was one of the most extensive and successful farmers of our county.

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The annual meeting of the North Texas Singing convention will be opened at Sherman Friday night, August 10, continuing over Saturday and Sunday, August 11-12. The convention will be held in the Presbyterian church one block north of the post office in Sherman. Those preparing the program are anticipating singers from all over the North Texas and Southern Oklahoma area. Collin county will be well represented.

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Misses Dorajean Davis and Sarah Abernathy visited in Dallas Monday.

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TEMPERATURE

100 degrees at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday.

84 degrees at 7:00 a. m. Wednesday.

98 degrees at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday.

ENJOYING LAKE BREEZES AT CHICAGO

MRS. J. S. CARLISLE AND DAUGHTER WRITE McKINNEY FRIEND

Mrs. J. S. Carlisle and daughter, Miss Johnnie Lee Carlisle, are spending the summer in Chicago visiting a married daughter and sister, who lives there. Miss Johnnie Lee, who is one of the McKinney City school teachers, is working on her Master's Degree in the Chicago University. She and her mother take the opportunity of frequently visiting the World's Fair. In a note to a McKinney neighbor and friend, Mrs. Carlisle says: "This is a wonderful experience, especially in the great Electrical Building," a picture of which adorns the post card on which she wrote. The building is a part of the electrical group which consists of three sections located on the Northerly Island. Housed in the electrical group is Radio Hall where may be seen radios from the earliest stages to the present day receiving sets. Mrs. Carlisle says in her note, "We are having a grand time seeing things. Weather delightful. Lake breeze keeps us cool. Was plumb cold yesterday, (August 3."

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UNCLE OF COMMISSIONER C. M. BRYAN IS VISITOR HERE

City Commissioner C. M. Bryan and family were given a pleasant surprise Tuesday with a visit from Mr. Bryan's uncle, Hilliard Bryan of El Paso, and his son, Hilliard Bryan Jr., and the latter's wife of the same city. Hilliard Bryan Jr. is assistant cashier of one of the banks in El Paso. The three had been on a visit to Corpus Christi, Galveston and other South Texas points and came by McKinney to see their nephew and cousin. This was the first time Mr. Bryan had seen his uncle in twenty-five years. Mr. Bryan greatly enjoyed this surprise visit of his El Paso relatives. They spent a few hours here and then resumed their journey back to El Paso.

PRINTING PRESS, 96 YEARS OLD, STILL IN USE

Walter Holland, member of the mechanical force of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, wife and two children, Walter Dillon and Virginia Caroline, spent the past week-end in Ranger visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Barnett and little two and a half months old baby son, Bernard Jr. Bernard Barnett is well known to many McKinney and Collin county friends, being a son of former County Tax Assessor and Mrs. W. L. (Lou) Barnett, formerly of Blue Ridge and McKinney, but now of Abilene. Mr. Barnett is assistant manager of the J. C. Penney company store in Ranger and is doing well in a business way.

Mr. Holland says that that section of West Texas is in need of a rain as is this section, although their crops, which are mostly of the feed variety, will make fair yields despite the drouth. En route to Ranger, they spent Friday night in Fort Worth, the guests of relatives.

While en route to Ranger, they also stopped in Palo Pinto and saw the old Washington hand-press, still in use by the Palo Pinto Star, weekly newspaper publication of that county seat town. This press was made in 1838 and is one of the oldest in use today. It requires two to operate and when worked at top speed prints not more than three copies per minute. It is always of interest to tourists going through Palo Pinto, especially newspapermen from over the entire nation, who have heard of this press, now nearly 100 years old, and who invariably stop to inspect it and possibly to compare it with some of the more modern and up-to-date presses some of which turn out as high as 500 or more copies per minute.

MRS. W. E. CLARY ON ANOTHER SAD MISSION

OKLAHOMA LADY ONLY SISTER LATE WILL T. MOORE JR.

Mrs. W. E. Clary, 1501 West Twenty-Third street, Oklahoma City, who came to McKinney on the sad mission of attending the funeral of her brother, the late William T. Moore Jr., on Tuesday was the guest of her McKinney girlhood friend, Mrs. W. K. Penn, and husband. She left Wednesday to visit briefly with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bush, on their farm near Allen. Mrs. Clary was formerly Miss Mary Moore. She was the only daughter of the late Dr. W. T. Moore, honored McKinney citizen for many years and a former County Tax Collector for two terms during his lifetime. While here, Mrs. Clary renewed her subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. She states that her old McKinney home paper has lost none of its interest to her during the years that she has been gone. She reads everything in it every week and in that way keeps up with friends of other days and their descendants in various parts of our county.

HISTORY OF DALLAS LAWYERS LOCAL INTEREST

BERRY B. COBB COMES TO CONSULT NEWSPAPER FILES

Berry B. Cobb, Dallas lawyer and historian, recently made two or three visits to McKinney in his research work. While here, he visited his brother-in-law, R. F. Pool, and wife, who live in McKinney. Mr. Cobb was born and reared in Sherman, is highly educated and has his Master's Degree.

He recently issued "A History of Dallas Lawyers, From 1840 to 1890."

This editor has secured a copy, which he is reading with much interest and will probably make quotations from for this paper, relative to lawyers who have practiced in Collin county some during that period and whose names are known in the history of this county as well as in Dallas county.

Mr. Cobb is also the author of a "History of Marvin College," a noted educational institution of Texas in early days. Mr. Cobb is now engaged in completing his "History of Masonry and the Older Masonic Lodges of the State."

He finds the files of old newspapers the most productive source of information in this research. He came to McKinney to consult the files of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, the latter being the oldest newspaper now published in the county and in its fifty-first year. He also is consulting the bound files of some of the earlier of Collin county and North Texas newspapers, belonging to Walter B. Wilson, one of the editors of this paper. These old papers ceased publication many years ago. He also found our Collin county historical scrapbooks of much interest to him in his work. He plans to make future trips to McKinney to consult these valuable sources of original information.

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J. B. Tucker and brother-in-law, Lester Dickerson, northwest Collin farmers, were in McKinney Monday. Mr. Tucker had the misfortune of losing a brown pocketbook containing currency silver and checks, payable to J. B. Tucker, somewhere in McKinney. He is advertising in our classified columns, offering a reward for return. See Mr. Tucker or come to the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette office if you find it or know anything about its finding.

GOVERNMENT NOT TO ACCEPT ANY MORE CATTLE FOR TIME BEING UNTIL CONGESTED CONDITION IS RELIEVED

H. B. Bickers, county relief administrator, is in receipt of a telegram from Adam R. Johnson, state relief director of Austin, directing him, for the present, to not accept any more cattle tendered him in the cattle buy-up program, which is being launched in this county and over the state as a part of the government drouth relief measures. These instructions follow a surplus of cattle on hand at this time, as a result of the buy-up program. It is the plan of the Federal authorities to dispose of the cattle on hand before resuming further buying.

Inspection and appraisal of cattle over the county, which owners desire to sell to the government, began Tuesday with H. F. Ellis of West, Texas, in charge, aided by Drs. Lackey and Richardson, government veterinarians. Mr. Ellis will continue his tour of the county, inspecting and appraising cattle as applications are received in County Farm Agent Jack McCullough's office. The cattle thus inspected will be held in readiness, to be brought to McKinney upon notice from Mr. Johnson after the present congested conditions are relieved.

WILLIAM T. MOORE JR., WORLD WAR VETERAN, GIVEN MILITARY FUNERAL

GALLANT SERVICE ON EUROPEAN FRONTS—NATIVE OF COLLIN—REARED IN McKINNEY—SON LATE DR. W. T. MOORE, CONFEDERATE OFFICER, CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL.

Arriving via Texas Electric Railway Express in McKinney at 12:12 p. m. last Tuesday, the remains of the late William T. Moore Jr. were met by surviving relatives and a number of old home town friends and escorted to the Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home where the body lay in state until the funeral hour at 5:00 o'clock the same afternoon.

The deceased died at 3:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon, August 5, in the Veteran's Hospital, at Waco, where he had been a patient for sometime.

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Military Funeral.

At his own request, the deceased was given the honor of a military funeral by the Jimmie Geigas American Legion Post of McKinney of which H. H. Standley is Commander. Rev. F. Lamar McGown, pastor of the South Wilcox Street Methodist church and chaplain of the local post, conducted the impressive funeral rites in the chapel of the Massie Funeral home at 5:00 o'clock. He read appropriate scripture, and his remarks and tribute to the deceased were most fitting, eloquent and impressive. A large flag of our country under which he gallantly fought several years during the World War, the gift of the Federal government, draped his casket and was removed at the grave and given to his only sister as a memento of a gallant brother.

Active pallbearers were H. H. Standley, Eric Nelson, Oran L. Hope, McCarty Dowell, Roy Wright and Morris Gay, all members of the local Legion Post.

At the graveside, Chaplain McGown spoke the final word to a large assemblage of grief stricken relatives and sympathizing friends. Many of these friends were present from various points in this and other states. Numerous old McKinney home friends of the Moore family did everything they could to soften the blow to the heartstrings of the only sister and five surviving brothers, all of whom were present.

Hi Wilmeth, bugler, sounded "Taps" for the deceased buddy after which the sorrowing assemblage dispersed in silence.

Many floral designs and offerings were mute but beautiful tokens of esteem and sympathy for the Moore family and to the memory of the departed World War veteran.

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Born in West Collin.

William Terry Moore Jr. was born, October 15, 1888 on the farm of his parents near Rock Hill, ten miles west of McKinney, which the surviving children still own. At his death, he was forty-five years, nine months and twenty-five days old. When he was only about one year old, his parents moved to McKinney where his father practiced dentistry and later entered business circles and was several times elected City Alderman and twice elected Tax Collector of Collin county. His father, Dr. William Terry Moore Sr. came to Texas, sixty-one years ago in a party of immigrants from the State of Alabama where he was born. They drove through in wagons. Dr. Moore was a gallant Confederate officer and a charter member of the First Baptist church of McKinney, which he served many years as clerk and treasurer. The son, W. T. Moore Jr., assisted his father in the County Tax Collector's office and held other clerical positions until the World War broke out. He volunteered his services and saw active service on the battlefronts of Europe where he was gassed and otherwise injured so that he was left practically an invalid the balance of his life. For twenty months, he was in the Hinds hospital near the suburbs of Chicago and was a patient in other hospitals in an effort to regain his health. He had been a patient in the Veteran's hospital, at Waco, for several months, when death came to relieve his suffering. He was regimental sergeant and supply sergeant of the 144th Infantry, Thirty-Sixth Division in the World War. His most active service as shown by his discharge papers were battles, engagements, skirmishes and expeditions of the Meuse, Argonne Forest advances, Champagne and other fronts. He was discharged at Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, June 21, 1919.

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His Survivors.

The deceased, who grew up and was educated in McKinney and attended business college here, was a boy and young man of splendid character and reputation. His parents were among our county's most influential and useful people. He was never married. His survivors are one sister, Mrs. W. E. Clary, 1501 West Twenty-third street, Oklahoma City; and five brothers, as follows: Dr. Tol F. Moore, assistant director of the United States Veterans hospital, at Lincoln, Nebraska; Joe Moore, a grocery merchant of Grand Prairie, Texas; Tom and Eugene Moore, business men with offices at 110 South Chaparrall street, Corpus Christi; and Lewis Moore, a young business man of Houston.

Among out-of-town relatives who attended the funeral was Dr. Ramsey H. Moore, noted baby specialist of Dallas, a cousin of the deceased.

The deceased was one of a family of one sister and eight brothers. He is the third brother to be called by death. His oldest brother, McCarty Moore, former McKinney man, died in Dallas, January 5, 1932, and his brother, James K. Moore, prominent Kansas City hotel manager, who died December 22, 1932 in that city. McCarty Moore was buried in Dallas, but the remainder of the family are all sleeping on the Dr. Moore burial lot in Pecan Grove cemetery, this city.

CASEY PURNELL AND FAMILY ON VISIT HERE

This editor met up with Casey Purnell, reared and educated in McKinney, but for the past several years residing in New York and St. Louis.

Casey is a son of Wm. Purnell, for several years outstanding pioneer and progressive business man of McKinney. Wm. Purnell now resides in New York, where he has been for the past twelve years. He had four fine sons—William, Francis (Tex), Julius (Tip) and Casey Purnell.

William Purnell Jr. died several years ago. Tex is associated with his father in business in New York and St. Louis, being engaged in the wholesale ready-to-wear business. Casey Purnell married Miss Miriam Thompson, daughter of Editor and Mrs. Clint Thompson of this city. They have a fine sweet daughter, about thirteen years of age. Tip Purnell, who is a member of the firm of Smith Drug company of this city, married Miss Claudia Stiff. They have a fine young daughter about fifteen years old.

Casey, wife and daughter, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Tip Purnell. Casey was admitted to the bar to practice law and practiced several years in New York. He, his wife and daughter now reside in St. Louis, where he is in business. We never had a better friend than his father and always admired his fine sons. Casey tells us he is going to take his brother, Tip Purnell, wife and daughter, Edna Elizabeth, back to St. Louis with them for a visit.

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Mrs. J. Webb Nelson and daughter, Miss Leta Mae, left Saturday morning on an extended trip to Carlsbad Cavern and other points of interest in New Mexico and in the Texas Panhandle. They will also visit Lee Guthrie and other relatives at Memphis, Hall county, in West Texas before returning home. They were accompanied on this trip by their son and brother, Doyle Nelson, merchant at the Kelley Schoolhouse, about fifteen miles north of McKinney. Doyle Nelson's young son, Jim Webb, also accompanied them.

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Miss Onella, sixteen-year-old daughter of R. A. McClendon, a highly respected Nevada citizen, returned Saturday from a week's attendance a the Farmers' Short Course, at the Texas A. & M. college. She won a free trip recently in a 4-H club best dress making contest held at McKinney under the direction of Miss Helen Dunlap, County home demonstration agent. Miss Onella joined Miss Dunlap and the latter's other Collin county 4-H club girls at Dallas and accompanied them to College Station. She has won many other honors in 4-H club girl work.

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Tom Moore and wife, Gene Moore and wife, all of Corpus Christi; Joe Moore and wife of Grand Prarie, Dr. Tol F. Moore and wife of Lincoln, Nebraska, and Lewis Moore, all returned to their respective homes after coming to McKinney to attend the funeral and burial of their beloved brother, the late Will T. Moore, who was laid to rest in Pecan Grove cemetery at 5:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, August 7.

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Albert Sears has returned to Atlanta, Ga., after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Sears, in this city. He stopped in New Orleans, La., on a brief business mission while en route home.

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Hon. Jess Morris, candidate for congress from the tenth district, informs us that instead of his majority in Hunt county being 48, the official vote in last Saturday's election increased his majority to 235, or a gain of 189 in Hunt county.

FATHER OF W. R. AND JAKE BRIMER PASSES AWAY

JOHN BRIMER, 88, DIED AUG. 3 NEAR NEWPORT, TENNESSEE

W. R. and Jake Brimer of this city have been notified of the death of their aged father, John Brimer, who died at his home near Newport, Tenn.

The deceased, who was born December 13, 1845, died August 3, 1934, being at the time of his death, 88 years, 7 months and 20 days old. He was the eldest of a family of twelve children. He had one brother, Tom Brimer, aged 70, who is among the survivors.

John Brimer was married in 1866 to Miss Sarah Jane Holbert, to which union ten children were born—eight boys and two girls. Two children died in infancy. The surviving children are W. R. and Jake Brimer of this city; Tom and oJe Brimer of Weston, this county; Nick, Jim, Jack and Miss Lynda Brimer, all living at Newport, Tenn.

He was a retired Methodist minister, having preached for about 71 years. He helped build a church which was named Brimer Chapel in his honor, gave the ground for a school on his farm, which was named Brimer's Hight. He was in the War between the States, enlisting in the Northern army when he was seventeen years old. He was a Republican in his political belief. His wife died eleven years ago.

W. R. Brimer and family visited in the home of his father about five years ago, which was the last visit they had made to his aged father. Miss Dixie Brimer, employe of the J. C. Penney company store, who is a daughter of W. R. Brimer, is a granddaughter of the deceased, John Brimer.

Albert McCauley Visits Daughter Near Sweetwater

Former Sheriff Albert McCauley is at home after a visit of several days to his daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Kinney, who lives near Sweetwater. While away Mr. McCauley spent a couple of days with his old-time former Collin county friend, former Sheriff G. M. (Boots) Eubanks. Mr. McCauley was a deputy under Sheriff Eubanks while he was an official of this county. Many years ago he moved to West Texas and owns and lives on a good farm. Mr. McCauley met up with Ples Boyd, who was reared at Wyile and who several years ago moved to West Texas. Mr. Boyd owns 800 acres of fine land south of Lubbock and Mr. McCauley states is one of the best-fixed men in that section of Texas. He has lived near Lubbock for twenty-five years. Mr. McCauley states that after leaving Denton county the entire west is in a clear, dry state. Stock is in bad condition, the creeks and pools are drying up and cattle are being shipped out. He says that there are practically no crops of any kind from the Denton county line west, as far as Sweetwater.

REV. A. L. LEAKE WILL CONDUCT PLANO REVIVAL

Rev. A. L. Leake will begin a tent revival in Plano next Sunday, August 12. Harry Wooten of Gaston Avenue, Dallas, will lead the singing. Mrs. Leake and Mrs. Coleman are pianists. This is an annual revival conducted by the pastor, Rev. Leake and people attend from every section of the county and from Dallas and Denton counties.

Rev. Leake has just closed a successful revival at Lake Dallas. There were thirty conversions and additions. The church is without a pastor. Rev. Leake put on the every member canvass and the church is ready for a pastor. The entire community is indebted to Rev. and Mrs. Leake for their excellent work. This is the second meeting he has conducted at Lake Dallas.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKinney, County Clerk Mrs. Pearl Strother, all of this city, and Mrs. Chas. Akin of Princeton, have returned from a delightful several days' motor trip to Carlsbad Cavern, El Paso and other West Texas points and to Juarez, Old Mexico. Mrs. Strother is the mother of Mesdames McKinney and Akin.

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Our good banker friend, B. D. Robinson, of the First National bank of Pampa, Gray county, West Texas, sends a dollar to renew his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. He was reared in this county and went west a few years ago. He enjoys reading old home county news from the columns of our paper.

OLD PREACHER'S TRIBUTE TO LATE DR. J. W. LARGENT

Rev. S. W. Miller, veteran retired Methodist minister of Frisco in Southwest Collin, is numbered among the many mourning friends of the late Dr. Joe W. Largent of McKinney.

Rev. Mr. Miller says: "In November, 1885 ,or forty-nine years ago I landed at the little inland village of Pilot Grove, just over the Northeast Collin line in Southeastern Grayson county. About the first man I met was Dr. Largent and Dr. Montgomery, two young physicians just beginning to practice.

Dr. Largent and I at once became intimate friends. He would frequently come down to my home after breakfast to start an argument in a jocular way over the differences in the doctrinal beliefs of Methodists and Campbellites, as he termed his own church. However, our arguments were entirely friendly and social and more in the way of joking each other than serious.

I often rode with him to see his patients or to visit his father's home and occasionally rode with him over to McKinney. His first obstetrical case was in my family.

After moving to Van Alstyne, he decided to go west and engage in government practice. I assisted in selling his fine saddle horse to the noted Col. Jot Gunter.

I then lost sight of him for some years until he returned to Texas, coming to McKinney. I was his guest overnight soon after he came back to Texas. The next morning, he drove me over the city. We renewed our intimate friendship of former years and continued it until his death.

Just a week before his recent death, I called on him at his office for a prescription. He then insisted that I go to his home for lunch, which kind invitation I could not accept.

My good friend has gone, to the eternal home, but I hope our separation is to be only a brief one and then a higher and nobler relationship will be renewed.

I truly sympathize with his widow and children in their bereavement. He left a heritage behind him in the memory of his services to suffering humanity and the good he did otherwise during his entire professional career of a half century."

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A group of young Epworth Leaguers of the First Methodist church, of Intermediate age, enjoyed a bicycle picnic, north of the city late Monday afternoon. The boys and girls made the trip on their bicycles. While there, they enjoyed all kinds of games and a picnic supper. The youngsters were accompanied by their sponsor, Miss Ilia Jean Francis, and by Miss Cleo Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Bagwill.

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Miss Pauline Sears, one of the accommodating salesladies for the McKinney Dry Goods company, is celebrating her birthday today (Tuesday). Miss Sears, daughter of Mrs. Chas. Sears, is one of our city's most popular young ladies. She is receiving congratulations from a wide circle of friends upon this birthday anniversary, with best wishes for many more such occasions.

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Cotton picking will soon be order of the day. Many farmers think the cotton crop will be reduced fifty per cent on account of the extreme drouth. We have always been told that in this black land belt when it was dry, farmers had to haul water and the ground cracked open, we always made a cotton crop.

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Mrs. Frank Phares of Dallas, who has been spending the past two weeks in New York City, will sail from that city Wednesday, arriving in Galveston August 14, from which point she will return to Dallas. Mrs. Phares, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Michael of this city, has been enjoying her annual vacation. She went to New York with a party of friends from Dallas. She holds a responsible position, being supervisor for nurses for the city of Dallas. She has many friends in this city.

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M. L. Pittman and charming little daughter, Miss Beatrice, twelve years of age, living in the Bloomdale community, have just returned from a very pleasant visit to De Leon county, motoring through the country. They remained out there for a week, visiting their grandmother, Mrs. S. I. Pittman, Mrs. Nannie Grisham, an aunt and two children, Totsie and Tolbert Grisham, of Wingate, met them there, all enjoying their visit very much. Two cousins, Preston and Luther Williams, of Comanche, also met them there, as well as Lee Neighbors, from Pecos. All greatly enjoyed their visit to their grandmother.

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Miss Esther Maynard and father, Dr. G. P. Maynard of Wylie, were in McKinney Tuesday. Miss Esther recently underwent a tonsil operation in the Dr. E. L. Burton sanitarium. She has about recovered. Her father is a prominent practitioner and influential citizen of Southeast Collin.

FATTENING OF LARGEST CATTLE HERD COMPLETED

BRED ON HEARST RANCH IN OLD MEXICO; 235 CARS

The last seventeen cars of the cattle bred on the ranch of W. R. Hearst, 125 miles south of El Paso, in Old Mexico, and fed at an estimated cost of $400,000 by the Babimora Development Co. on a big ranch near Brownfield, Texas, has been shipped to the nation's markets. Previous shipments from the herd included 218 cars.

The cattle, 8,200 in all, were bred on the ranch of Hearst, internationally famous owner of a string of newspapers, and were then shipped to Brownfield to be fattened for market.

In addition to yearlings and 2-year-olds there were some 4 and 5-year-old cattle. Ground corn and grain sorghums grown in Terry and adjoining counties constituted the main feed, with cottonseed meal and cake and some minerals.

Animals were graded into weights and ages and kept in pens according to size and weight. Shifts were made as some animals gained faster than others. A Federal customs agent was stationed there during the feeding period but local men were used mostly in handling the feeding operations.

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R. L. Hankal and wife of Weslaco, Hidalgo county, South Texas, are visiting their many relatives and friends in McKinney and will probably remain some thirty days. Mr. Hankal resided here for thirty years, prior to moving to South Texas eighteen years ago. He is a contractor and carpenter by trade. Many years ago he married Miss Emma Wilmeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hi Wilmeth, both having passed to their reward. Their many old time friends are glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Hankal.

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Olin Sannin's Blue Bird orchestra of Tyler will furnish the music for a dance to be given by Messrs. Bobby Bass and Robert Forte at the Hill Crest Country club Friday night, August 10, from 10:00 until 2:00 o'clock. This orchestra is well known, having played at the Blue Bird Night club at Tyler, the Thirteen club at Longview, at Greenville and at other points over the state. The script will be $1.10.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Moors have gone to Winnsboro for a few days vacation at their old home. They are the managers of the Postal Telegraph company in this city. Their many friends here wish them a pleasant vacation.

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W .H. L. Wells, veteran South Collin farmer of near Plano, who will be 94 years old September 4, left Tuesday, August 7 in an auto for his old home in Virginia. He is accompanied by his devoted grandson and constant companion, John D. Wells and also his aged brother, R. A. Wells of Dalhart. Messrs. W. H. L. and R. A. Wells have four or five sisters still living in Virginia. While gone, these veterans will visit several battlefields on which they fought during the Civil War. While gone, the post office address of Mr. Wells will be 477 Rivermont Ave., Lynchburg, Va.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 9, 1909.)

L. A. Folsom left today for Chickasha, Oklahoma, to visit relatives.

Prof. E. G. Brown of Sherman is here today. He formerly taught school in this county.

Prof. G. W. West, county superintendent, spent Sunday at the home of his father, T. L. West, at Donna.

P. H. Lawson, head miller at the Collin County Mill & Elevator Co. for some time, has moved to Fort Worth.

Joe Davis, the affable cashier of the H. & T. C. railway station in this city, has gone to New Iberia in Louisiana, to visit his old home.

Dr. J. Knight, osteopath, who recently located in McKinney from Commerce, has bought the new home of H. W. Brough on West Louisiana street. He expects to make it his home.

Roscoe Mills and wife of Aubrey, Denton county, have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mills, in the Milligan community. Roscoe was reared in this county. His bride was formerly Miss Ida Jackson of Aubrey. They were married August 1.

YOUR HOME TOWN

SEEN HERE AND THERE

H. W. Henley, well known McKinney business man and manager of McKinney Dry Goods company, is making ready to bring Buster Brown and his famous dog, Tige, to McKinney, Tuesday, August 21; that store sells the Buster Brown shoes and is bringing Buster Brown and his dog here to entertain McKinney and Collin county kiddies; they will appear at the Ritz theater, with a Buster Brown comedy and gifts for everyone . . . Gloria Moulden, darling little curly-haired daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Roy Moulden, on a downtown visit with her Daddy; Gloria was the recipient of scores of complimentary remarks from everyone whom she met up with . . . That sound truck advertising the Ritz theater road show today and tomorrow, attracted a lot of attention as it paraded downtown streets this morning . . . Miss Elizabeth Ann Kerby, attractive McKinney young lady, in a good humor as usual while on a downtown visit today . . . H. B. Bickers, county relief administrator, and Merritt Braswell of the county relief office, preparing for an official visit in the country this afternoon . . . W. O. Pattreson and J. W. McKinney engaged in conversation . . . Wade Timmons, who recently opened up a novelty and woodwork shop, with E. B. Dixon on West Virginia street, is being complimented on the attractive show window he has arranged; go by and see it; the exhibit is clever and unique.

SINGERS TO MEET

Those who enjoy good singing should visit in Sherman this week-end, from Friday until Sunday, August 10, 11 and 12. The occasion will be the North Texas Singing convention, with singers present from all over North Texas and Southern Oklahoma.

CENTENNIAL WEEK

It is altogether fitting and proper that the week of August 13 has been designated as Texas Centennial week, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson having already designated that week by a special proclamation. In order to make the Centennial of 1936 as great as expected and in order to make the state "Centennial-minded," the governor urges that the Centennial be discussed in every social and club meeting, at every dinner table and in all places where men and women congregate. The Texas Centennial should be one of the greatest events ever held by any of our states. It all depends on Texas and Texans.

BUYING CATTLE

We enjoyed meeting up with H. F. Ellis of West, Texas, who has been appointed appraiser and inspector of cattle in Collin county for the Federal government, which is buying up surplus cattle in the drouth relief program. He has already started out on his duties. He informs us that this plan of the government is merely a move whereby they want to help the farmer and dairyman who has a surplus of cattle to dispose of. It is not compulsory on the part of the owner of the cattle to sell. In fact, even after they have made application to sell a certain number of cattle, if they are not satisfied with the price offered after they have been inspected, the farmer can keep the cattle if he so desires. This is just another one of the many steps being taken by the Federal government to help farmers and the livestockmen at this time. The program is a commendable one.

LOOKING AHEAD—AUTUMN

Although we are still in the midst of a persistent heat wave and drouth which has prevailed here for a long time, yet a glance at the calendar will inform us that it won't be very long until the fall season will be here. In fact, close observers inform us that there are signs of the autumnal season in the air and that soon the drouth and heated spell will give way to showers, fall rains and cooler atmosphere. Even the person who likes summer best will not object to seeing cooler weather. While the temperatures have not gone as high this year as in the past, yet it has been an every-day affair in this section for two months or more with practically no relief at all in the day time and with only a few cool nights. Only one rain of a little more than half an inch in the past two months has fallen to relieve the monotonous heated spell.

NEW FALL OUTFITS

With the coming of the autumn season people naturally expect all lines of business to pick up. That is true in McKinney this year. We have already seen several fall outfits on the streets and up-to-date McKinney business houses are already getting in their supply of fall goods, having sent their buyers off to market to select the latest and most [illegible] lines and varieties of merchandise. It is no secret when we say that local merchants are anticipating a good fall business. This is proved by the fact that they have purchased a large supply of fall and winter goods at market this summer.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN SOON

To the kiddies of McKinney and Collin county who attend school: It is less than a month until the school bells will ring again, opening the 1934-35 school term. Looking at the calendar we see that this is August 7 and school is scheduled to begin the first Monday in September. We have talked with quite a number of these boys and girls and find them, almost without exception, ready for the opening of another school year. They are anxious to get back in the school room, to meet up with their many friends and to once again enjoy happy school days.

ATTENDING SUMMER SCHOOL

Never before to our knowledge have we seen so many teachers off at summer school. Many teachers in the city and all over the county are attending school at Denton, Commerce, Dallas and other places, taking work leading towards their degrees. Summer is the only time they have off during the year and it is commendable that they employ their ordinary three months' vacation by attending summer school, thus better equipping themselves for their duties the following year in the schoolrooms. This is one reason why our schools stand so high in Texas—capable teachers, who by their attendance at summer school each year are better informed regarding their duties. It is little wonder that our school system stands so high and why it is so popular with patrons in this city and county and even in other counties of the state.

To The People of Collin County

I desire to express to you my deep appreciation for the vote I received in Collin county on July 28. Fully realizing that three good men of Collin county were opponents of mine, yet the people gave me a vote of which I am proud. I shall always cherish the new friends I made and the renewal of old friendships in the recent campaign and assure you that if I am nominated State Senator on August 25 that I shall visit with you often and discuss problems with you that may come before the next regular session of the Legislature.

CLAUDE ISBELL.

WOMBLE

Miss Jewel Harben

Miss Bessie Tallant of Princeton spent last week with Miss Mildred Recer.

Miss Jessie Womble of Midway visited Miss Juanita Harbin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jones and daughter, Doris Wynelle, of Weston, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. aJck Johnson.

W. V. Smith of Farmersville visited J. C. Womble recently.

Miss Daphna Andrews of Farmersville spent Sautrday night with Miss Juanita Harbin.

Miss Wilma Kissinger of California visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Evans last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moreland spent Sunday with relatives of Altoga.

Miss Ethel Chumley of Verona spent Sunday night with Mrs Alvin Harbin.

Roy Henley and son, Frank, of McAlester, Oklahoma, are guests in this city of Mr. Henley's brother, H. W. Henley, manager of the McKinney Dry Goods company store.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 5, 1909.)

Miss Madeline Todd of Sherman is visiting Miss Mildred Hildreth here for a few days.

John R. Brown has bought the two W. R. Hilton residences on East Louisiana street.

F. B. Pope and wife will leave Saturday for the Great Lakes in the Northern part of the United States.

An enjoyable fish fry was held today at Half Bang bridge on East Fork, three miles southeast of McKinney. About fifty local citizens participated, including one of the editors of this paper. George Woods was one of the cooks assisted by Capt. Tuck Hill.

The big Walnut Grove camp meeting, ten miles west of McKinney, began last night. Rev. M. C. Harris is the pastor. The meeting is being held by Evangelist H. E. Hendricks and singer A. L. Carter. There are twenty-four tents pitched on the grounds already today.

The McKinney Creamery plant has just been installed in the former McKinney Enquirer office building on West Louisiana street. The first consignment of creamery was purchased today from Frank Clark who lives near town. A. H. Meyers is manager of the plant. He came here from the Paris creamery. The new McKinney creamery is the direct result of the good work of our Commercial club, of which R. E. Carpenter is president and W. B. Carnes is secretary.

ALLEN

Mrs. L. Goeman

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cundiff made a trip to South Texas this week.

Masters Loyd and D. G. Melton spent the week with their aunt, Mrs. Bob Gibson in Dallas.

Mrs. Leon Oxford and little son visited relatives in McKinney Thursday and Friday.

Miss Vivian Compton has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank White in Houston.

Grady Boren and family of Quanah visited relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Bart Popplewell and son, Hazel, have returned from a trip to Cisco.

Mrs. A. D. Marshall was in McKinney Thursday.

Mrs. D. G. Melton was the guest of her son, Ernest, and other relatives in Houston the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Harrington of Fort Worth, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Murrie made a business trip to Dallas Thursday.

Misses Eldis Mae and Laura Mildred Leach were guests of Miss Velma Ruth Christie near Lebanon this week.

Allen Holt and family of Dallas spent the week-end with relatives here.

Ed Bell of Yoakum is visiting relatives here.

Miss Mary Kathryn Angle has returned from a visit in Austin.

Miss Minnie Louise Giddings was a McKinney vistior Saturday.

Mrs. L. Goeman visited her brother, C. F. Potts and family, in Dallas Frday.

A small outhouse at the home of Carl Marion burned Saturday afternoon, causing quite a bit of excitement. Quick work on the part of the men in town kept the fire from spreading. Even a small fire is extremely dangerous this dry weather.

Ed Rogers of Chambersville was in Allen Saturday.

Mrs. E. S. Blythe and family attended the home coming at Blythe Chapel Sunday.

Miss Margaret Dunn of Grapevine is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Wilkins.

The Euzelian class of the Baptist Sunday school spent the day at White Rock Tuesday, picnicing. Then on Friday evening together with their families enjoyed a watermelon feast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verus Williams.

Mrs. K. O. Fugate and son, Kennie Ott, of Eustace spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Taylor.

DEATH OF LITTLE GIRL

Rev. J. R. Hilger of Greenville was an Allen visitor Tuesday.

Several from Allen attended the funeral of little Bettie Sue Marion at Frisco, Monday morning. Bettie Sue was the sweet little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frances Marion. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Bell, pastor of the Frisco Methodist church, Rev. McSpedden, pastor of the Baptist church and Rev. Miller also of Frisco. The little body was laid to rest in the Allen cemetery beside her baby sister, who passed away some eight years ago. Bettie Sue is survived by her heartbroken parents and one brother, James. Active pallbearers were Fred and Walter Day, Leo and Clen Nickelson. The bereaved loved ones have the sympathy of their many friends here.

Mr. Ray Stratton is on the sick list.

Misses Lucille Brooks and Effie Matthews entertained with a bridge party, Saturday evening at the home of Miss Matthews. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marion, John Broadhead and Lucile Brooks, John Webb and Agnes Russell, C. W. Forman and Minnie Lou Giddings, Glen Nelson, and Effie Mathews, Mrs. Beasley and Mrs. Davidson. Prizes for high cuts went to C. W. Forman and Mrs. Carl Marion. Delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Nina Ruth Greenwood of Prosper is the guest of Miss Mary Helen Royals.

Grant Arnold of Richardson visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Deanie Goode of McKinney is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Richards.

Misses Anabelle and Margaret Ruth Royals visited Prosper friends the past week.

Miss Alma Moore has returned to her home in Lubbock after a visit to Mrs. Alma Stratton and family.

Mrs. John W. Smith was the winner of the beautiful quilt given away by the Methodist ladies in the bean guessing contest. The bean jar contained 5,131 beans and Mrs. Smith's guess was 5,160 which was the nearest correct.

Rev. Ray Summers and wife and Clarence Reynolds and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Summers.

The Allen water company is busy installing water meters this week.

Rev. Jno. R. Hilger of Greenville was visiting Allen friends Tuesday. Rev. Hilger is always welcome in Allen homes.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Tucker visited relatives at Paris this week.

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Jess Morris Thanks Voters

I wish to express my deep appreciation to the voters of Collin county for the splendid vote given me in my race for Congress July 28.

I carried my home county of Hunt, also Rains and Kaufman counties and secured more than 18,000 votes in the district as compared with 10,395 of two years ago. I appreciate this endorsement beyond expression.

In the future, as in the past, I shall advocate and support principles that I feel to be for the best interest of my people, and any time I can render helpful assistance to an individual or my district as a whole, it shall be a pleasure to do so.

Respectfully,
JESS MORRIS.

BEFORE AND AFTER

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(Re-Election, Second Term.)
J. W. MOSELEY.

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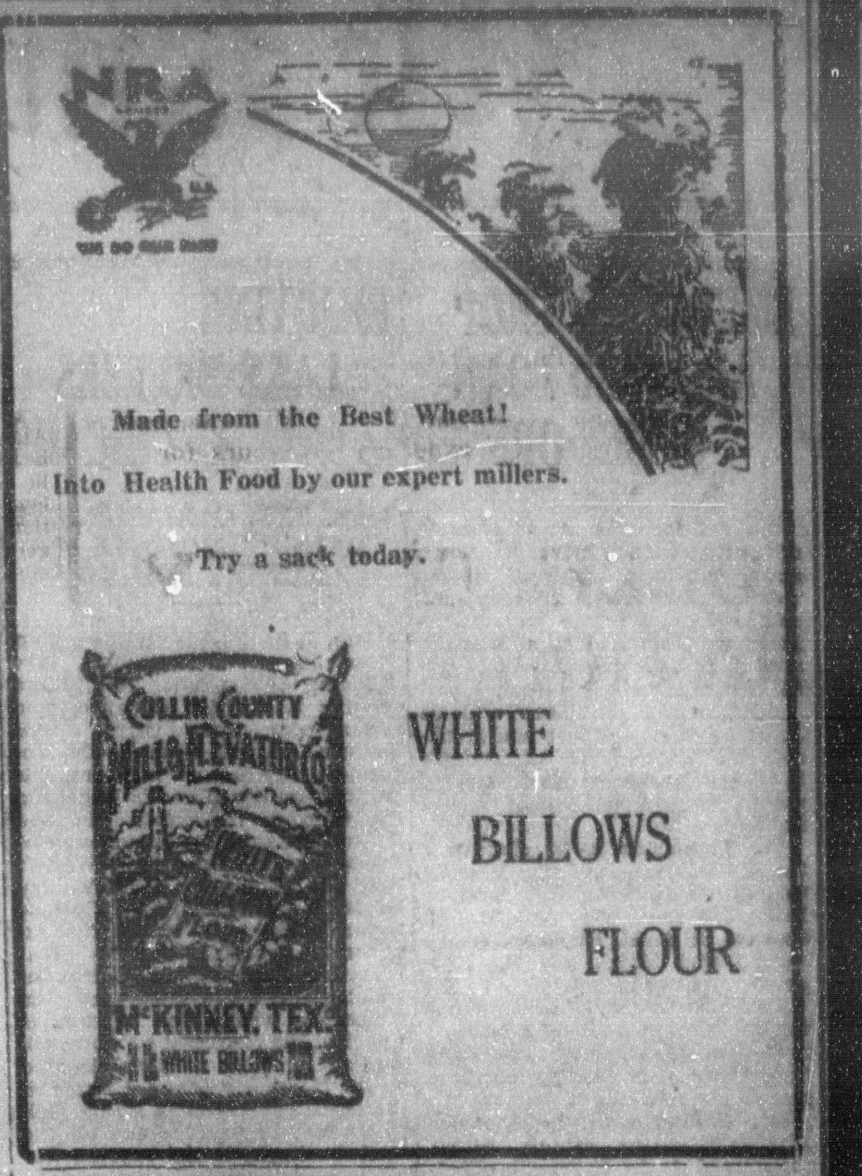
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J. S. Walker Grateful To Collin Voters

want to thank the entire citi-ip of McKinney and Collin ty for the wonderful vote you gave to me last Satur- July 28.

will indeed always be a help y life for me to know the le have confidence in me. is impossible for me to see of you personally, and in way I extend my thanks and eciation to all of my loyal ds.

d as to those who did not ort me I ask that I may their friendship as it is my st desire to serve all the e of Collin county.

d to those who helped me in way, I hope to justify the dence that you have placed e.

G. J. S. WALKER,
riff, Collin County.

MILLIGAN
Clee Giles

s. W. T. Odell and Mrs. el McGuffey visited their hter and sister, Mrs. Alfred and family, last Thursday.

y Byler and wife and little Kenneth Ray, are visiting arents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred this week.

nby Turner of Fort Worth d his parents here this -end.

ses Mildred and Miriam A. son spent Sunday with aunt, Mrs. Burnside.

. Walthall and little daugh- Pauline, who have been with typhoid fever, for the four weeks, are improving.

mels Alda Lowry of Dallas ending the week with her mother and grandfather, Mr. Mrs. Ross Lowry, and at- g the picnic.

red Byler and family at- d the Collin county singing rinceton last Sunday.

ima Ruth, Anna Lee and Evelyn Byler spent Mon- night with their grandpar- Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Odell.

red Byler, wife and daugh- Mrs. Cleo Giles, visited their and brother, Ray Byler and at Allen Monday night.

HIGGINS
Mrs. Gladys Reeder

ntley Welborn of Littlefield iting relatives here.

ldon Hunt of Celina spent week-end with Pies and Owen r.

ie Pullen of Wilson Chapel a few days recently with Louise Renfro.

and Mrs. John Duncan and of Dauglas were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. e Hutcherson.

and Mrs. Floyd Rutledge aughter, Wilma Jo, are vis- relatives here.

lma Hutcherson was the day night guest of Glady, uth Reeder.

and Mrs. Ernest Morgan amily of Irving spent the end with the latter's par- Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Mor-

s Thelma Hutcherson spent week in McKinney visiting ves.

Chuck Welborn and fam- Branch were guests of Perry Reeder Sunday.

Dow Hendricks Is Thankful

wish to express my sincere ciation for your past vote nfluence in the July primary solicit your vote and in- e in the August run-off.

L. DOW HENDRICKS.

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PRIZES OFFERED TO WINNERS IN 4-H CONTEST

To the county in the United States showing the most effective 4-H 1934 program, the finest community building that can be built and equipped for $10,000 will be given without lien or obligation in a contest just announced by the National Committee on Boys' and Girls' club work in Chicago.

The winning community will be required to furnish the building site, to set up an incorporated body to provide perpetual care and upkeep and outline a program of activities designed to promote the community welfare. Winning county will be chosen from highest scoring county in each of the four extension divisions of the country, northern, western, eastern, southern. The three remaining high scoring counties will be awarded a $1,000 cash prize to be used to promote the welfare of the community.

Every county with an enrollment of 100 or more 4-H members is eligible to participate. Counties of this class will have equal chances to win with those of larger enrollments providing ratio of membership to the county's rural population is comparable.

TWO ARE BEING GIVEN PASTEUR RABIES TREATMENT

The Pasteur Institute, at Austin, has wired Rev. F. Lamar McGown, pastor of the South Willcox Street Methodist church, at McKinney, that the cat's head he sent the Institute for analysis was infected with rabies and advised immediate treatment for immunization of Rev. Mr. McGown's little three-and-a-half-year old boy Lamar Jr., and R. V. Reed, a grown man, neighbor of the McGown family, who, with the child, was bitten by the cat Wednesday, August 1. A stray cat came up to Mr. Reed as he was out in his yard and bit him as he attempted to pet it. It then went into the McGown yard where the little boy was and slightly bit the child on the finger as it was attempting to likewise pet the cat. Dr. P. D. Robason of this city is administering the Pasteur treatment to both Mr. Reed and Lamar McGown Jr. for the prevention of hydrophobia. Beware of cats and dogs, especially strange ones, these hot midsummer days.

Wallace Hughston Expresses His Thanks To Voters

Through the columns of the press, I wish to thank the voters of the Tenth Senatorial District, composed of Collin, Hunt, Rockwall and Rains counties, for the splendid vote given me in the July 28 primary that gave me a lead of 1500 votes or more over the second man to me in a field of five candidates. Your confidence inspires me with gratitude beyond expression. I wish to thank you in advance for your votes and help to my candidacy in the run-off primary of August 25. I not only solicit those who voted for me in the first primary but also those who voted for anyone of my four honorable opponents. If you honor me with your State Senatorship, I shall endeavor, to my utmost ability, to represent you in the upper branch of the law making body of Texas in a patriotic, beneficial and satisfactory way to those who elected and to the people of our great state at large.

WALLACE HUGHSTON.
McKinney, Texas,
August 3, 1934.

Charlie McTees spent the week-end in Tyler, Longview and Gladewater.

NEWS' CIRCULATION MAN AT GREENVILLE DIES AT COMMERCE

Tom Parker, 27, of Greenville, district circulation representative of The Dallas News, dropped dead Friday in a Commerce drug store, where he had gone for medicine to relieve an illness. His body was taken to Greenville.

Parker was born in Huntsville, Ala., and moved to Texas when he was a child. He attended public schools in Greenville and Wesley college. At the latter institution he served as business manager of the Greyhound, student annual, in 1927. After leaving college Parker entered business in that city, joining The News in 1933.

Surviving are his wife; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Parker, of Dallas; three brothers, David and Jim Parker, of Greenville, and Walter Parker of Dallas, and a sister, Mrs. E. S. Coleman of Dallas.

He had often visited in McKinney and had many friends here who will be grieved to learn of his untimely passing at a time when he was just entering the prime of life.

Cecil Hight Is Thankful

I take this method through the public press to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to the voters of Collin county who honored we with their ballots in the July 28 primary. Although I did not achieve the prize I sought in my campaign, I greatly enjoyed meeting up with so many fine Collin county people and I feel that my life has been enriched through my personal contact with each and every voter. Again thanking you for your kindness and assuring those who did not vote for me that I hold no ill will or malice towards you, and wishing all possible success to my succesful opponent, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
CECIL M. HIGHT.

Hostile Brothers Get Together On State Candidate

Col. R. E. L. Knight, sent a telegram to James V. Allred immediately following announcement of the results of the first primary, pledging Mr. Allred his support in the run-off for governor. Epps Knight, brother of Coloney Knight, has long been an enthusiastic supporter of Mr. Allred. Friends of the two brothers find their hearty accord in the matter of gubernatorial timber interesting in view of the fact that they have so often differed politically.

Ones does not have to be old in Dallas politics to remember when Col. R. E. L. Knight led a "rump" convention in the basement of the City hall, while his brother was active in the ranks of dry leaders in the county convention in the City hall auditorium.

"I shall heartily support Mr. Allred," declared Col. R. E. L. Knight, "because he is a young man of rare courage, and of exceptional ability."—Dallas Times-Herald.

Don O. Davis Is Grateful To Voters

County Commissioner Don O. Davis requests this paper to convey his most sincere thanks to the voters of Precinct No. 1 for the splendid endorsement that he received in the primary election of July 28. He has already served three terms in such an efficient and acceptable way that he was numerously solicited to offer for a fourth term with the result that eighty per cent of the ballots were cast for his candidacy. Consequently, Mr. Davis is overwhelmed with gratitude, not only to the voters of his own precinct but also to his well wishers and numerous friends in the other three Commissioners' precincts who seemed so anxious in his behalf. Mr. Davis says, "I can best show my gratitude however, by even more efficient service to the taxpayers of the county, if it is possible for me to do so. Anyhow, I will spare no energy in trying to do that to the very best of my ability."

C. S. Kerr of Ysleta, Texas near El Paso, wife and four children are guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kerr, in McKinney for a few days. Mrs. Kerr and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moore, at Rogers, Texas, for two or three weeks before coming to McKinney. Their husband and father went by Rogers for them, bringing them on up to McKinney. C. S. Kerr has been a civil engineer on the International Boundary Commission for the past seven years. He holds a very responsible position with that Commission in establishing the fixed boundary line between the United States and Mexico along the Rio Grande River.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hitchcock and Mrs. Jack Sparterman are visiting in Sherman Friday.

ROTARY CLUB MANY VISITORS FRIDAY, AUG. 3

An unusually interesting Rotary club dinner and luncheon was enjoyed Friday at noon in the big dining room of the First Methodist church, at which Prof. R. M. Hawkins of Mexia, District Governor of Rotary in the Forty-Eighth District, was a special guest and C. W. Pepper, a prominent school textbook publishing house representative, was the speaker. Loren M. King and Prof. Jack R. Ryan composed the Program committee of the day with Rotarian King as chairman. He introduced Mr. Pepper who made an exceptionally interesting fifteen minutes address that bristled with information, particularly upon the subject of free textbooks and other information bearing upon public free school education.

In the absence of President Jack P. McCullough, who is attending the Farmers' Short Course, at A. & M. college, Vice-President M. O. Bozeman was in the chair.

Song Leader W. Hammond Moore accompanied by Mrs. Gibson Caldwell, "The Sweetheart of Rotary," as accompanist, led the club and visitors in several lively Rotary songs.

The visiting club members were much impressed by the splendid singing of the McKinney club, most of the members of which joined under the leadership of Rotarian Moore.

Mrs. J. L. Bright was chairman of a group of Missionary Ladies that prepared and served a fine fried chicken dinner with many other edibles and with watermelon for dessert.

Guests present were Harold Hamlin of McKinney, the guest of Gibson Caldwell; Prof. R. M. Hawkins, District Governor of Mexia; E. D. Guthrie, Austin, Texas, guest of Jack R. Ryan; C. R. Van DeMark of Sherman, C. W. Pepper of Dallas; Henry Bone of Sherman, Floyd Moore of Denison, Joe H. Durning of Sherman, Harry Weingarten of Denison, W. D. Trotter of Dallas, Jim Long of Sherman, Mrs. Ruth L. Duffy, Executive Secretary of the Dallas Rotary club; Frank Layman of Whitewright; Frank Thompson, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Sherman; H. T. Roach of Garland, John T. Wade of Garland, S. Willis Long of Greenville, Fred Porter of Greenville, Editor Tom R. Poole of Greenville.

FORMER LOCAL CITIZEN SAYS COLLIN FORTUNATE

Claude Cocanougher, whose headquarters are at Tulsa, Oklahoma, as general auditor and salesman of the Sun Oil Co., on a recent visit in McKinney, where his family lived, stated that his territory includes eight states, which he travels over.

He says there is not a section in these eight states that he has not visited in the last two or three months but what has been so damaged by the severe drouth that they will have to have help to get through until next year.

Mr. Cocanougher is a son of the late Ed Cocanougher and wife, who formerly lived in Northwest Collin and spent the latter years of the lives at home on North Kentucky street, this city.

Mr. Cocanougher is a good business man and a close observer of crop and business conditions. He thinks the drouth is more wide spread and disasterous than is generally realized, but that Collin county folk are faring better in the way of crops and business than the average.

He pronounced crop conditions as well as business conditions in North Texas, centering around McKinney, to be better than anywhere else in his entire trade territory, covering eight states.

District Clerk-Elect T. L. Bailey Is Grateful

Through the columns of the local paper I desire to express to all who in any way contributed to the success of my nomination for the office of District Clerk, July 28, 1934, my thanks and genuine appreciation.

I am mindful of the fact that I made the race against two honorable opponents, and this makes me doubly appreciative that I got a majority vote of all ballots cast, which eliminated a run-off. For those who could not support me I have nothing but the kindest regards. Hope I may merit your good will and support in the future. It shall be my aim to serve all people who have business in the office to the best of my ability, regardless of your views in the election. I am sure that I am more appreciative of the nomination at this time than had I been elected four years ago. Having had the experience of defeat at that time, naturally makes me more appreciative of the honor this year.

Again I thank all who assisted me in any way.

Yours truly,
TOM L. BAILEY.

Biggest 1934 bargain—The Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

BRUSHY
Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Corr.

W. R. Bickley Jr. is visiting in Chelsa, Okla.

John Clark spent the week-end in Dallas.

Mrs. Wade Hackett spent last week with relatives in Blue Ridge.

Miss Marie Jordon and James Jordon of Henrietta, Okla., are visiting relatives here this week.

Misses Wilma and Joyce Jean of Venus visited Misses Grace and Paula Howard last week.

Mrs. J. W. Gibson of Celeste spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bowden.

Miss Dovie Tripp spent last week with her sister in Sherman.

Mrs. Bell Reece of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bickley Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hess and children are visiting relatives in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Phillips and son, Paul D. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha McLeod spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McLeod at McKinney.

Mabron and Kenneth Johnson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Gooch in Culleoka.

Misses Velma Lee and Lillian Clark are visiting relatives in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hayes at Floyd.

Ray Hess and mother, Mrs. Tennie Hess, spent last week-end in Henrietta, Okla., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson and daughter, Oleta, and Marie Jordon, were in McKinney Monday.

The revival meeting will begin at Midway August 16. Rev. Hedges of McKinney will do the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

TRINITY
Miss Geraldine Pearson

Fred Stiff of Stiff Chapel visited Otto Belcher Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bland Haney of McKinney visited Chester Haney and family Monday.

Miss Dorothy Haney is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, of Sherman.

Mrs. Mildred Flemming and baby are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Holland and family.

Miss Rudell Burkett visited Miss Orlena Berry of McKinney one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boone of Dallas visited Frank Boone and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dale visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith Sunday.

Mrs. Stuman, formerly Miss Jennie Boon, has returned home after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Highbill and children of Paragould, Ark., visited their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Pearson, and family.

Will Osburn has accepted a contract to build Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Miller a new home. Work has started.

Otto Belcher, who is working in the C. C. camp at Farmersville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belcher over the week-end.

John Wayne and Geraldine Pearson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pruitt and family of Blue Ridge this week.

Cecil Goode, who is working in the C. C. camp at Farmersville, visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Haney over the week-end.

Mrs. Dudley Burkett and baby, Lera Jeanne, Mrs. Brown and Ames Littrell, of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Other Littrell of Weston and Mrs. Amos Littrell of Chambersville visited Mrs. Joe Burkett and Miss Rudell uBrkett recently.

Buford Boone, wife and little son, Buford Jr., have returned to their home in Austin after a visit with Mr. Boone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. George Corley and family spent the week-end in McKinney with Mrs. Corley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Inloe.

Tom Hendrick of Los Angeles, Calif., and daughter, Mrs. Samuel F. Davis of Dallas, were guests Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. A. Williams, this city.

CHAMBERSVILLE
Mrs. Duland Scott.

Miss Margaret Frisby visited Mrs. Fred Yeager of Plano at the McKinney City hospital.

Clifford Mell of Tulsa, Okla., is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Mell.

Mrs. J. H. Scott of Ardmore, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Scott.

Miss Evelyn Frisby has returned home from a visit with Miss Jeannette Adair in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers visited over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson, returning to their home in Fort Worth Sunday. Misses Margie and Mae Beta Thompson accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Farley and children, Leon Lucilla Ray and E. H., from near McKinney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson and daughter.

Harry Umphress and family of Moreland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morgan and son, J. W., Thursday night.

Roy Dell Dickerson is visiting in Waco.

Misses Kathryn and Ruby Dickerson had as their guests Sunday Misses Marguerite and Doris Nell Saunders and their brother, Norman, of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Lawson of Bloomdale were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cate.

C. W. Murphy of Lockhart and Judge Moulden of McKinney were guests of A. P. Dickerson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hitchcock and baby, Mary Jane, have returned to their home in Gladewater, after a visit with their mother, Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock and sons, Boyd, Carl and Weldon.

Miss Dorothy Neely of Baylor hospital, Dallas, visited Miss Margaret Frisby Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen B. Scott of McKinney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Scott.

Mrs. Arthur Allen is recuperating from a serious illness.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson include Mr. and Mrs. Oll Stiff, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cunningham and son, Jack, and Wilbur Thompson of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chambers of Fort Worth and B. D. Shook of Whitesboro.

Mrs. Fred Anderson and daughter, Lyla Faye, have returned home from a delightful visit with relatives in McKinney.

Miss Amelia Rogers had her guest, Miss Dorothy Alexander of Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lindsey and baby son, Orville Cate, visited the former's father near Bloomdale. We regret to learn that Mr. Lindsey is not recovering from a recent appendicitis operation as fast as he should and is still confined to his bed.

Masters Kenneth and Dillard Thompson are spending a few days in Weston visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brimer and family.

Harold Kissinger, Wilfred Ball and Jeanette Adair of McKinney visited Miss Evelyn Frisby Friday.

Charley Ben Organ of Houston is visiting his little daughter, Charleen, in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. K. Frisby, and family.

Miss Ruby Nichols of Celina is visiting her sister Mrs. Winifred Watson and family.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. I. M. Dyer at her home north of Chambersville. She is being cared for by her son, Eddie Dyer, and her granddaughter, Miss Joyce Dyer, of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Anderson and son, James Reid, of McKinney, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson and son, A. C.

Berlyn Scott of Hillsboro and Frank Scott of McKinney spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Scott and Mrs. J. H. Scott.

Prof. W. Harold who has taught at Chambersville the past three years, and was re-elected for the ensuing year, has offered his resignation to accept a position as teacher of vocational agriculture in the high school at Farwell, Texas. Prof. C. D. Taylor, who has taught at Cottage Hill for the past four years and was re-elected for the ensuing year, will succeed Prof. Frazier as superintendent of Chambersville consolidated High school. He will be assisted by Mrs. Raymond R. Littrell, Misses Alma Bryant and Nola Bess Kluttz of McKinney and Louise Martin of Forest Grove.

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J. S. Dodson, manager of the local gin has just completed the erection of a modern office enlarged the seed house and had main plant over-hauled. Levi Carruth of Weston was the contractor in charge of the work.

B. D. Shook is now papering and painting the new residence on Bryan farm which is nearing completion.

W. T. Giles or Uncle Tom as he is familiarly called, was honored Sunday with a family reunion and dinner in observance of his 88th birthday which fell on July 27.

The guests began to arrive at an early hour with well filled baskets. Miss Alma Giles, who is spending her summer vacation with her father, had arranged long tables in the yard under the large shade trees and they were soon loaded with everything to tempt the appetite. In the center of the table was a large beautifully decorated angel food cake brought by a niece, Mrs. Merritt Mouzey, of Dallas. The following guests registered: Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Giles and daughter, Ethel of Colony, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Toy Hayes, Blue Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Webb and daughters, Mrs. H. E. Robinson, Misses Ella and Bonnie Webb of Lowery Crossing, Mr. and Mrs. Allen McMillian and daughter, Laverne, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Littlejohn and family; Annie Louise, Martha, Eustace and Dale Ray of Woodlawn, Mr. and Mrs. James Corbin Nixon, Gunter; Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mouzey, Dallas; Mrs. Sally Echols, Anna; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bounds and children, Poston Lou Jean, Alma Jo and Cora Etta Brown of Franklin; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bowers and children, Edna Earl, Dorothy and Jimmie Doyle of Kelly; O. A. Giles and son, Merle Giles, Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Giles and daughters, Jewel and Mary Edith of Anna; Mr. and Mrs. H. Grady Giles and daughters, Betty and Peggy Giles, Anna; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Close and children, Zella and W. T., of Weston; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Giles and children, Melvin, Ben Jr., Mary Frances and Dora Janelle; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Haynes and son, Giles; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Turner and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hunsinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Close, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haynes and son, eJrry Gene; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Haynes and son, Billie Dway, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Giles, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilson and family, Lola Lou Clinton and John, Clara and June Dean, Louis Cox and Clyde James Thomas.

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CHANDLER-ROGERS

Miss Mary Helen Chandler and Arleigh Rogers were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, July 21, at the home of Rev. J. Ben Snider in McKinney, Rev. Snider officiating. They were attended by Miss Amelia Rogers and Howell Farnsworth. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Chandler and has spent all her life in this community. She is a young lady of very lovable character and is a graduate of Chambersville High school. The groom is a young farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rogers. The young couple make their home on a farm west of Chambersville. The best wishes of their many friends go out to them.

Lon Smith Says Commission Is Being Fought

Declaring that "the opposition can not win," Lon A. Smith, chairman of the Railroad Commission of Texas and leading candidate in the first Democratic primary for renomination, declared "The fight being made on me today is not one of a personal nature, but is an attack on the entire commission, by an accumulation of opposite sentiment to the commission."

Chairman Smith said he is appealing to the sovereign voters of my native state to look carefully into the grave situation which confronts us. Weigh well the two men who are asking for your suffrage before you cast your ballot.

MRS. W. W. TOLLETT DIES WHILE ON YOAKUM VISIT

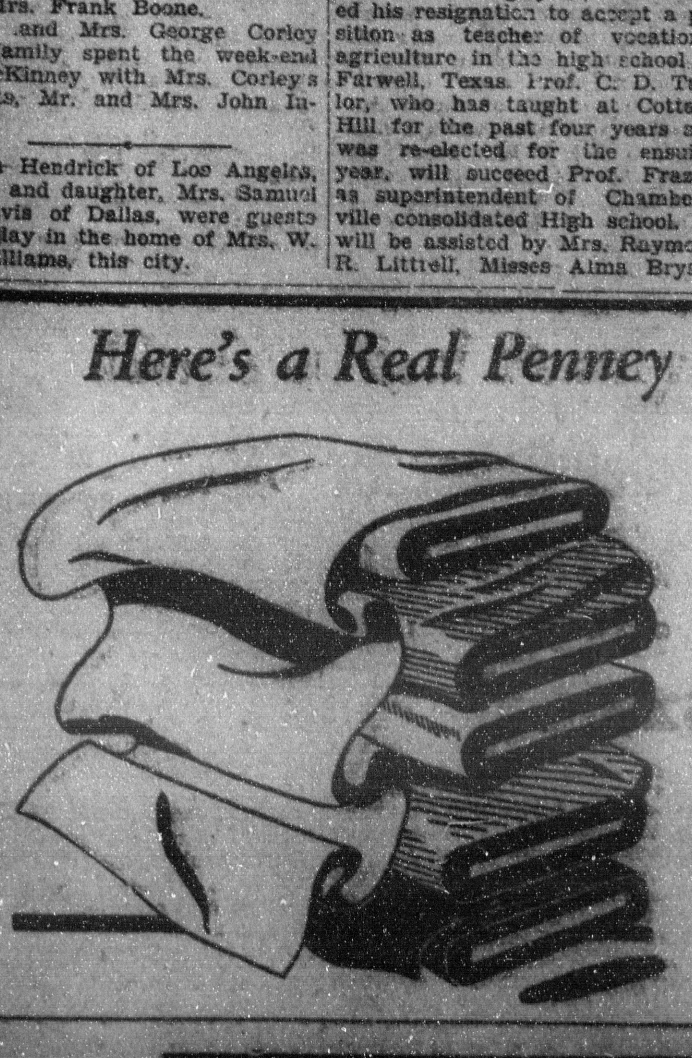
Mrs. W. W. Tollett, about 65, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Johnson, at Yoakum, Texas, Saturday night, after only a few days illness. A heart attack was the immediate cause of her death. Mrs. Tollett had moved to McKinney from Lavon, residing on South Waddill street. She was on a visit to Mrs. Johnson, who had been ill, when death called.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this (Monday) afternoon at the Lavon church with burial in the Thompson cemetery. She was a member of the Baptist church. Her husband died two years ago.

Surviving are four daughters and one son as follows: Mrs. Leonard Montgomery of McKinney, Mrs. C. P. Johnson of Yoakum, Mrs. Frank Geren, Mrs. Dr. C. W. Castner of Wichita Falls and Carl Tollett of Lavon.

Robert R. Parker of Princeton was in McKinney Monday. He is one of the best known East Collin citizens, having been reared near Farmersville. He was a delegate to the County Democratic convention in McKinney Saturday.

Mrs. L. P. Coffey of San Antonio is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Coffey.



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THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1934.

Editorial Expression

PUNISH THE OFFENDER.

Judge T. C. Andrews, prominent McKinney lawyer and citizen, who went to Austin several months ago t become Chairman of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles, says in a recent article that the certainty of punishment at an early date would be the greatest deterrent to crime. Continuing he says, a modernization of policing, whereunder all peace officers would work under one head with a code radio system broadcasting for information on criminals, would get better enforcement, but the most definite way to reduce crime, Andrews thinks, would be a revision of laws that have contributed to it. Some of these laws he listed as the interminate sentence law, the suspended sentence law, and the law which allows concurrent terms for a series of crimes.

The fee system, too, he believes to be a crime builder. "Under the fee system many prosecutors are willing to send a man to the penitentiary just to build up a record. Many men are sent to prison who never should have been, and it is entirely possible that the penitentiary can turn them into real criminals," he declared.

"The indeterminate sentence law may make a man eligible for parole when he has served the minimum sentence, though it probably never was meant to turn criminals loose it sometimes has worked that way. For instance ,a sentence for murder which reads from two to ninety-nine years make a man eligible, when he may not at all be a man who should be turned loose again on society. Definite sentences would make the rules of the board easier to enforce and remove a great deal of discontent if a man is not let out of a minimum term.

Collin county has now been placed among the ten emergency counties recently added to the emergency drouth relief in the State of Texas. No distinction is made between emergency and secondary counties in so far as expenditure of direct relief money is concerned but the surplus cattle purchase program of the Government is confined to counties designed emergency. Planting restrictions have been lifted and more liberal Government credit and lending has been extended the entire drouth area. The twelve emergency counties in Texas are: Childress, Clay, Collin, Colorado, Cooke, Foard, Grayson, Hall, Hardeman, Montague, Wichita and Wilbarger. Major County, Oklahoma, also was designed emergency. The ten new secondary counties in the State are: Bowie, Cass, Fannin, Hunt, Lamar, Marion, Morris, Newton, Red River and Sabine. Practically all of the 254 Texas counties are now in the drouth area classified either as emergency or secondary. The official drouth area now embraces 1,319 counties of which 838 are emergency and 481 secondary.

Collin county farmers should not hold back on making their applications for allotments under the Bankhead Bill regulations, thinking that these provisions will probably be withdrawn on account of the prevailing nation-wide drouth. The Bankhead Bill is the law for this year and farmers will be compelled to abide by it for their own good. Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace says there are no intentions at all to withdraw the Bankhead Bill, this year. The sooner Collin farmers get their applications in, the sooner they will get their certificates, permitting them to sell their cotton. Our farmers should see their local committeemen in charge of the work and immediately make out their applications. Don't forget that any farmer who fails to get his allotment will be required to pay a tax on all cotton that he produces. All allotments must be in by August 15. Time is short. Procrastination may be expensive to you, Mr. Farmer.

One of the most enjoyable features of the recent five-day McKinney picnic was the old time Fiddlers Contest. Fifteen engaged in the contest for honors. Old time violin tunes were rendered with vim and vigor that tended to limber up even the old rheumatic joints of the elderly class assembled around the grandstand. Harry King of Wylie was in charge of the contest and old time square dance numbers that entertained thousands of onlookers. The three highest honors in their order were conferred by the judges on H. C. Hale of Carrollton; Mr. Dickerson, second and Mr. Kennedy, third. The three judges were old timers themselves in the persons of Bill Edwards, Phil West and John C. Enloe.

With the Nationalizing recently of the Central State Bank, which now becomes the Central National Bank, of McKinney, our city and county gain in the strengthening of another financial institution. It is backed by some of the most substantial citizens, in the county. This bank, organized twenty-nine years ago as the Continental Bank and Trust Co. and changed in 1920 to the Central State Bank, has enjoyed a long and useful career to the county. It will now be able to do even more that it has been Nationalized. The officials of the new Central National are Add G. Wilson, Chairman of the Board; Fletcher B. Pope, President; W. Avery Dowel, Vice President and A. H. Eubanks, Active Vice President and Cashier.

McKINNEY'S FIRST BALE OF COTTON

McKinney's first bale of cotton was received here Wednesday evening, August 1. It was raised by John Bates in the New Hope community and weighed 502 pounds. It was ginned from 1500 pounds of seed cotton of the Mebane and Sunshine varieies. Mr. Bates picked the cotton on twenty-five acres of his sixty-three acre crop.

Mr. Bates was born near McKinney and lives in the neighborhood of where his parents and also his grandparents settled many years ago.

The first bale was marketed in McKinney, August 4 last year, by F. M. Housewright of Wylie and was bought by W. B. Mitchell, local druggist, at 11.50 cents per pound. The first bale, this year, has not yet been sold.

The vicious Jersey bull that attacked and fatally injured John W. Green, a highly respected retired McKinney business man and farm owner on July 3, was recently trucked to Fort Worth and slaughtered. The animal was a well-bred one, but dangerous. It was roped and securely tied by expert cowmen and loaded in the truck and safely delivered to the stock pens in Fort Worth. This shocking accident costing the life of one of our fellow McKinney citizens, while he was visiting his farm near Allen, should serve as another caution to farmers and stockmen to be more guarded in the care of herd bulls. Even apparently docile brutes of this kind occasionally become unexpectedly angered and vicious.

Collin county friends are saddened at the death of Mrs. Olivia Staples, 60, of Dallas, president of the Staples Crude Oil Co., with business interests in different parts of the Southwest. Mrs. Staples was the mother of T. Malcolm Staples of Wylie and McKinney, a fine young man who recently made the primary race for State Senator. Mr. Staples is well known in McKinney and over the county as well as North Texas, and his many friends and the many friends of his beloved mother sympathize with him and the other bereaved members of her family in her sudden death caused by an automobile accident while she was on her way back to Dallas after visiting her son at Wylie.

Thirteen counties of North Texas were recently designated by the Interstate Commerce Commission as entitled to receive the benefits of special rate reductions on rail transportation of feed and live stock. The reductions will be allowed as a measure of drouth relief and will apply to shipments of all kinds of live stock feed and live stock to and from the counties named. Reductions vary from fifty to eighty-five per cent below existing rates. The railroads first asked that the reduction be made. The thirteen counties designated are: Camp, Collin Cooke, Franklin, Grayson, Hopkins, Kaufman, Rains, Rockwall, Titus, VanZandt, Wood and Delta.

One of the prettiest sights that can possibly appeal to both the eye and the heart of a normal person was the assemblage of a group of 141 babies at the recent Baby Show of the Thirty-Fifth Annual Collin County Picnic and Old Settlers Reunion at McKinney. They represented the cream of Collin's baby crop—ranging in age from two months to two years. We really felt sorry for the judges, because of their problem in placing the prizes. Each one of these little cooing cherubs, deserved to be a sweepstakes baby. But, choices had to be made in everyclass. Some mothers were, of course, disappointed, but all were good sports and good naturedly yielded to the decisions made.

McKinney was saddened Tuesday night by the passing away of two of her best known physicians and surgeons, Dr. J. W. Largent and Dr. H. Gregory Gould. At best, a physician leads a life of service entailing much hard labor rendered at all hours during the day and night. Oftimes, this service is never paid for. Let us appreciate our family physician more and pay him more promptly for his professional services. Remember the good family physician is here to usher you into the world and usually keeps the last vigil at the bedside, battling to the last ditch for your precious life. Make it a rule to pay your doctor bill more promptly.

R. A. McClendon, chairman of the Nevada voting box on the County Democratic Executive committee, was in McKinney Saturday attending the county convention. A pretty good idea of how Mr. McClendon is regarded by his home people may be had by a glance at the election returns. This record shows that he received every one of the 160 votes cast in the Nevada precinct for their county chairman. It is a compliment to any man, who stands that well with his neighbors when they come to vote on him by the secret ballot method. We have known Mr. McClendon for many years and know him to be pre-eminently worthy of this one hundred per cent vote of confidence by his neighbors.

Buck Nelson is greeting friends here in his old home. Been living last few years at Brownsville, Texas. Born and reared here. All his friends are glad to see him.

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Rev. W. N. Vernon, pastor of the Methodist church, at Nevada was in McKinney Saturday, attending the Democratic county convention, to which he was a delegate. Rev. Mr. Vernon closed a ten days' revival meeting at his church on Sunday, July 29. Rev. F. Lamar McGown, pastor of the South Wilcox Street Methodist church, McKinney, did the preaching for him. Fourteen additions to the church were received during the meeting and the church was greatly revived. Rev. Mr. Vernon has received thirty-one new members into the church at Nevada since he went there as pastor on the first of last November.

Contractor George B. Hughes and family are attending the Century of Progress in Chicago. A card from our friend, George, is dated in Chicago, August 4, and says: "We are seeing the fair by day and by night. Went to Milwaukee on steamship, 2nd and 3rd. The Great Lake's ride was fine. Weather perfect. Temperature 65 to 85. No rain. We never will be able to see half that is here to be seen. This is a great city, and a great throng of people are here for the fair—all strange faces. Haven't heard a word from home or read a paper from the South since we left."

Many farmers tell us that they will make enough corn to do them. Something unusual for the extreme dry weather, that the corn crop in Collin county is better for 1934 than during 1933.

Mrs. Virga Burns, Route 2 Plano, renews her Daily Courier-Gazette subscription for another month in advance. She has been reading our paper for a number of years.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. TAXATION TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO REAL ESTATE AND TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO ALL REASONABLE CLASSIFICATIONS OF PROPERTY; AND OCCUPATION AND INCOME TAXES; EXEMPTIONS; LIMITATIONS UPON COUNTIES, CITIES, ETC.

"Taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform. All property in this State, whether owned by natural persons or corporations, other than municipal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, which shall be ascertained as may be provided by law. The Legislature may by general laws make reasonable classifications of all property other than real property for the purpose of taxation, and may impose different rates thereon; provided that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform. The Legislature may impose a poll tax. It may also impose occupation taxes, both upon natural persons and upon corporations, other than municipal, doing business in this State. It may also tax incomes of both natural persons and corporations other than municipal except that persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits shall never be required to pay an occupation tax; provided that Two Hundred Fifty ($250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture, belonging to each family in the State, shall be exempt from taxation, and provided further that the occupation tax levied by any county city or town for any year on persons or corporations pursuing any profession or business, shall not exceed one-half of the tax levied by the State for the same period of such profession or business."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election, all voters favoring said amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas as providing that taxation of real property sall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations, shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation, and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; and exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty ($250.00)) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family; and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas as providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation; and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax, and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty ($250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family, and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

A TRUE COPY.
W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That there be added to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be numbered Section 2-A and to have five (5) lettered subdivisions and which section shall read as follows:

"Section 2-A.

"(a) General management and control of the affairs of the County shall hereafter be vested in the Commissioners Court, provided that in the exercise of powers not specifically granted to the Commissioners Court by the Constitution and Amendments thereto, the Court shall be subject to the authority of the Legislature of the State, and the Court shall also be subject to all general laws of the State now in force not in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment until such laws are modified or repealed.

"(b) All duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the District Court and the County Clerk shall hereafter be performed by an officer to be known as Record Clerk; all duties heretofore performed by the County Tax Assessor and the County Tax Collector shall hereafter be performed by one officer known as Tax Clerk; and in the counties where the sheriff performs the duties of the Tax Collector he may hereafter perform the duties of the Tax Clerk. The Record Clerk and the Tax Clerk shall be elected to hold office for a term of two (2) years and until their successors shall be elected and qualified. The Commissioners Court shall have authority to combine the office of County Treasurer and the office of County Surveyor, or to combine either, or both, of said offices with any county office. Within the maximum and minimum limits prescribed by the Legislature the Commissioners Court shall have authority to fix the compensation of all county and precinct officers except County Auditor, County Judge and County Commissioners. The Legislature shall fix the compensation of District Judges, District Attorneys, County Judges and the County Commissioners and may provide for a County auditor and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation and the number and compensation of his assistants. The Commissioners Court shall fix the compensation of and determine the number of deputies assistants and clerical personnel of all precinct officers and county officers except the county auditor.

"(c) City and county officers and employees may, in addition to their duties as such city and county officers or employess, be required to perform such other similar duties for cities, towns and districts within the county, or for the county, as may be mutually agreed upon and contracted for between the Commissioners Court of said county and governing board, or boards, of such cities, towns and districts; and the cost of such service shall be provided for in said contracts and paid by such county, cities, towns or districts into the Treasury of the county or city, town or district, as provided for in said contract. All such contracts shall be approved by the Attorney General of this State and such contracts shall not cover a period longer than two (2) years.

"(d) The Legislature shall have authority, by general law, to provide for complete forms of county government and organizations different from that provided for in this Constitution to become effective in any county when submitted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature to the qualified voters of such county in an election held for such purpose and approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting in said election. Provided however, that no such law shall impair the of the Commissioners Court to determine the compensation of county and precinct officers other than County Auditor, to fix the number of assistants, deputies, and clerical personnel which said officers may employ; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations or counties to incur public debts.

"(e) In any and all cases where provisions of the Constitution of this State are in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment the provision of this Amendment (Section 2-A, Article IX) shall control; provided, however, should any county adopt a Home Rule Charter under authority of any provisions of the State Constitution or Amendment thereto, this Amendment shall not be applicable to such county."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government and different than as now provided by law."

"Against the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government, and different than as now provided by law."

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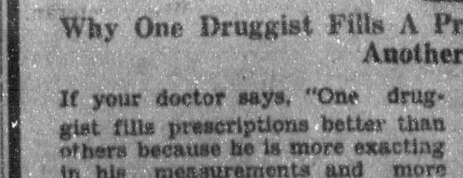

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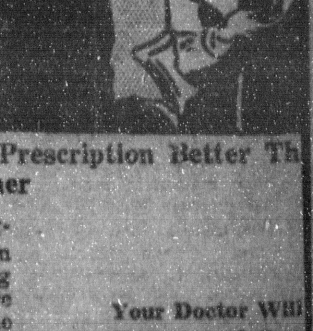

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BERRY B. COBB HISTORIAN VISITS IN M'KINNEY

Berry B. Cobb, 401 Allen Building, Dallas, who makes occasional trips to McKinney to consult our newspaper files and scrapbooks, is a brother-in-law of R. F. Pool Jr., one of our fellow McKinney citizens.

Mr. Cobb is a native of Sherman who took his B. A. degree from Austin college, Sherman, and his Master's degree from Southern Methodist university. He has attended sessions of the Law School at Southern Methodist university and also the University of Texas at Austin. He has also been History teacher in Woodrow Wilson High school, Dallas.

Mr. Cobb, who has gained a statewide reputation for his historical writings, is contributing editor of the Texas Free Mason and Eastern Star and is the chairman of the History committee of the Bar association of Dallas and author of a book, "The History of Dallas Lawyers," published in April, 1934, with the sanction of the Bar association of Dallas, of which he is a member.

After seeing the bound newspaper files of the Daily Courier-Gazette, in its thirty-eighth year, and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette in its fifty-first year, and the Collin County Historical Scrapbooks of one of the editors of these papers, Mr. Cobbs says:

"I am delighted to find the files of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette date back and have been preserved for a little more than a half century. This shows a distinct appreciation of social value and a desire to accumulate knowledge of which one of the finest sources is from newspaper files. I recently wrote a letter to the News, published July 19, in which I called attention to the fact that at the University of Texas, we have an extensive newspaper library and also that in the towns of Waxahachie, Alvarado, Pilot Point, in Denton county, Cleburne and Dallas, I had checked over newspaper files that dated from fifty to seventy-five years. Also, that El Paso Public Library recently erected a new concrete room, in which to house more than fifty years of the bound files of the Galveston and Dallas News.

On the other hand, it is a noticeable fact that in certain towns I found that upon a change of ownership in the paper or in order to make room for new files, old copies had been burned or thrown away, carelessly, while in some instances, fires had destroyed the plants themselves with the result that the files of the papers now are only of comparatively recent date.

"The coming Centennial should emphasize the necessity for the preservation of all items of historic nature including especially old newspapers, letters, programs and evidences of the early history of this portion of the state.

"It is also a pleasure to meet an editor with a hobby or avocation such as that of your own Walter B. Wilson of this city."

GARAGE FOR SALE

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25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 4, 1909.)

Ex-Sheriff Gabe Beck went to Plano today on business.

Capt. T. M. Scott of Melissa is here today. He is recuperating from a recent severe illness.

Mrs. J. F. Cole has returned from Marlin where she has been visiting her brother, Marcellus Cable.

Joe Carver of Farmersville is buying cotton, this season, in McKinney. He is a member of the cotton firm of Perkins, Carver & Co.

Mrs. J. A. Waters and children, Evelyn, Pearl Sneed, Jim Alice, Billy and Harvey, arrived home today from a several weeks visit to relatives at Omaha and other points in the state of Nebraska.

Mrs. Sarah Howell and daughter, Mrs. Frances Younger, left last evening for Colorado. They will visit the big exposition at Seattle, state of Washington, while gone.

A message was received today announcing the death of Mrs. E. C. Wilson, mother of Mrs. John S. Heard and Mrs. Dr. J. C. Erwin. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Stigler, Lexington, Mississippi, after a brief illness. Her two McKinney daughters arrived there about two hours after her death. The deceased was eighty-two years old and a native of Holmes county, Mississippi. Her husband W. H. Wilson, and she came to Texas in 1879, locating at Sherman and later on a farm near Collinsville, Texas, where Mr Wilson died and was buried. His remains was later moved to Pecan Grove cemetery at McKinney.

COPEVILLE

Miss Deisie Nichols

Miss Mickley Petty of Josephine has been visiting her friend, Miss Geneviev Hornbuckle.

Lloyd Selman has gone to Arkansas to work in the peach orchards.

Miss Dorwretha Wood of Dallas is visiting in the Wingo and Jim Wood homes.

Mrs. Effie Grover and daughter of Dallas are visiting theri sister and aunt, Mrs. George Hall and family.

Miss Lucille Craft of Alvarado is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Denton Watson of Smyre have returned to their home there after a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McIrvet and little daughter, Doris Evelyn, have returned from a pleasant visit to the Century of Progress at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen and daughter, Betty Gean, of Fort Worth, are spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hornbuckle.

Mrs. J. F. Nichols is recovering from sever burns on the face, chest and shoulders and arms caused by the bursting of a glass jar of tomatoes a few minutes after the steam cooker had been opened. Her eyes were not injured and no scars will be left on her face.

The Baptist meeting being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Truman Hawkins, is progressing splendidly. Much interest is being shown each morning and evening. There have been twenty-four conversions and twenty-three additions to the church. The meeting will close July 27. Rev. Hawkins' brother, Truett Hawkins, of Greenville is conducting the song services.

Sunday, July 15, was homecoming day at the Baptist church. Rev. L. A. West, Farmersville, Rev. Walter Richardson, Sonw Hill and Rev. Prince of Greenville made splendid talks. An old-fashioned dinner was served on the ground. Those present from other places were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Nevada; Mrs. Charlie Sears, McKinney; Mrs. Flossie Hughes, Dallas; Mrs. Riley Hughes, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevenson and children, Dallas; Mrs. G. W. Hampton and three sons, Elzy, Leon and Morrell, Sherman; Bert Craft and family, Alvarado; Alex Craft and wife, Greenville; Reuben Petty and wife of Greenville, George McMillen and family, Denison; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hall, Whitewright; Mrs. Lena Lattimer, Dallas; Mrs. Era Sibley Jack Craft and wife, Miss Nola Craft, Dallas; J. E. B. Gambrell and wife, McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Connie Boone, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McMinn and son Robert, McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Will Hornbuckle, Nacogdoches; John Nelson, Conroe; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, Texarkana; Otis Cotner and wife, Greenville; Mrs. Banner Hawkins, Greenville; Paul Byers and family, Pecan Gap. Mrs. Ben Seay, who still lives on her farm south of Copeville, is the only living charter member of this church.

The Wingo family reunion held recently was a very happy occasion. Ralph Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wade and daughter of Mississippi were honor guests. Others present were Mr. Wingo's children, Mr. and Mrs. Glu Wingo and three children; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hardwick and four children; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keys and baby son; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Glasscock and baby son; Ernest and Cap Wingo. Bernard Wingo and wife of Dallas were not present. Jim Wood and daughter, Miss Mammie, Clarence West and family, George Wade and wife were also present.

The Home Demonstration club met at Mrs. Laura Johnson's July 16. Miss Helen Dunlap, county home demonstration agent was present and demonstrated the canning of carrots, okra and tomatoes. Fifteen members and guests were present.

Bill Wood, wife and children Billie Lois and Gaston, Mrs. Jim Wood and Miss Opal oWod have gone to Mississippi and Florida on a visit and vacation. Bill recently purchased a V-8 in which they are making the trip.

O. A. Sperry and daughter, Miss Eula Mae of the Bois d 'Arc community, west of McKinney, recently visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. F. Nichols and family. They were ccompanied by their neighbor, Clay Evans.

Edward Nichols and sons, Bert and Jack of Sweetwater, spent a few days with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nichols, recently.

Will Wallis, wife and little daughter, of the Wallis Chapel community, attended services at the First Methodist church in McKinney Sunday evening.

Paul D. Davis, who was born and reared at Nevada was in McKinney Monday visiting his uncle former County Treasurer Ed F. Kirby, and family. Mr. Davis is a World War veteran, having been a member of the 105th Aero Squadron and served overeas nineteen months.

The McKinney High school orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Ralph E. Frazier, played at the union church services in Melissa Sunday night. Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian church here, was the speaker. The Presbyterian, Methodist and Christian churches of that place are cooperating in the services, which are being held under the tabernacle there. About thirty or forty were present from McKinney.

EMERGENCY CROP LOAN APPLICATIONS TO LOCAL COMM.

Farmers seeking emergency crop loans for general purposes may now place their application for such loans with county loan committees which functioned during the spring of 1934 in all of the drouth stricken counties of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, Charles W. Sherrill, Regional Manager of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan office of the Farm Credit Administration at Dallas announced today. Crop loans were discontinued May 31 but the period for receiving applications has been reopened in response to demands from drouth stricken sections of the Southwest region, Mr. Sherrill said.

The loan area covers primary and secondary drouth counties in the three states. The same regulations which governed spring crop loans will apply. Crop loans are limited to $250.00 to one individual for general purposes and $400.00 for summer fallowing or for the combined purposes of summer fallowing and the purchase of seed for winter wheat, winter rye or barley. Loans may not exceed certain maximum allowances per acre in connection with grain, truck and miscellaneous crops.

Outside the drouth stricken areas loans may be made for summer fallowing or for the combined purpose of summer fallowing and the purchase of seed for winter wheat, winter rye or barley, but a loan may not exceed the sum of $250.00 to one individual.

The reopening of the emergeny crop loan facilities will not interfere with the making of feed and forage loans in the emergency drouth areas from the recently appropriated $525,000,000 fund. The crop loans, including loans for feed for livestock in secondary areas, are being made from the $40,000,000 fund appropriated in the Act of Congress approved February 23, 1934; whereas the loans for livestock feed and forage production in the emergency areas are being made from a part of the recently appropriated $525,000,000 drouth relief fund.

If an applicant already has obtained an emergency crop loan during the year plus the principal amount of the old crop loan must not exceed the $250.00 limit for general purposes, or the $400.00 limit for the purpose of summer fallowing. Loans will be made only to applicants who do not have other available sources of credit, and any farmer applying for a crop loan in excess of $150.00 must submit written evidence from a production credit association that his application for a loan of approximately the same amount has been rejected. The crop loans will be secured by liens on the crops financed, and loans for feed for livestock from the $50,000,000 fund in secondary areas will be secured by mortgages on the livestock.

Loan committees established in the spring will receive the applications which are given consideration by the committee and Government Field Supervisors and forwarded to the Emergency Feed and Seed Loan office at Dallas.

Supplies are in the hands of the committees in county seat towns and farmers who can not obtain credit elsewhere are eligible to apply for aid to plant fall cash crops.

NO. 14236
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Office of Comptroller of the Currency

Washington, D. C., July 27, 1934.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "Central National Bank of McKinney" in the City of McKinney in the County of Collin and State of Texas has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking:

Now therefore, I, J. F. T. O'Conner, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "Central National Bank of McKinney" in the City of McKinney in the County of Collin and State of Texas is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office, this 27th day of July, 1934.

(Seal) J. F. T. O'CONNER.
Comptroller of the Currency.

Horace Neilson Jr., manly young son of County-Attorney-elect and Mrs. Horace H. Neilson of this city, has gone to Chicago to attend the World's fair. Young Mr. Neilson made the trip in company with several friends from Pilot Point. They will be gone about a week.

A. H. Eubanks, active vice-president and cashier of the Central National bank, wife and twin sons, Fred and Ted, spent the past week-end in Galveston, motoring through. They greatly enjoyed their visit. Mr. Eubanks informs these editors that the section around Galveston as well as along the entire route traversed, is greatly in need of rain. Mr. Eubanks and family were able to see the results of the recent storm on the gulf coast, which did so much damage about two weeks ago. Their friends are glad to see them home again.

M'KINNEY BOY IN CALIFORNIA ENJOYS PAPER

Jesse Campbell, 1040 Railroad Avenue, Bellflower, California, sends Post Office money order to pay for the Daily Courier-Gazette for three months in advance. He is a son of W. S. Campbell, who resides at 215 Graham street, here in McKinney. Jesse went to California a few weeks ago. He drove through from Dallas, leaving there at 9:00 o'clock Thursday morning, June 21, and arrived in Los Angeles Saturday night following at 11:00 o'clock. He is doing carpenter work and is also a cement worker. Jesse, who has a number of relatives and friends here and in the country around McKinney, says, "California is the greatest of the eleven states that I have been in. It is only fifty miles from where I am to the Mount Wilson Observatory. Recently, I visited the observatory. After we came to the base of the mountain, we had a ten-mile ride of real adventure to me. We drove in second and low gear all the 6,000 foot mountain. That was one time in life that I had to look down to see the clouds. But, looking at the moon and planet nebulae through the largest observatory in the world was the greatest thrill of it all. The moon appears to be cold and apparently full of volcanic craters—full of big holes. I spend most of my leisure time on the beaches. Spent last Sunday in Long Beach and personally saw life guards bring in seven people that were in danger of drowning. Most of them had ventured too far out to get back unaided. Only one of them was in a serious conition. She was a young woman of about twenty who was apparently dead, but the Long Beach Fire Department used their pulmotor on her for forty-five minutes and revived her. In all there were about twenty-five rescues made at that beach. This was a very small percentage, considering there were thousands of people in the surf bathing. I certainly appreciate the Daily Courier-Gazette and am proud of the excellence of my old home newspaper. It contains so much news of McKinney and other parts of Collin county that I never would hear about if I did not read it."

CONSUMPTION U. S. COTTON IS LESS THIS YEAR

Carryover of American cotton in the United States is 7,662,000 bales, compared with 8,081,000 at the end of last season, 9,580 two seasons ago, 6,263,000 three seasons ago, 4,322,000, four seasons ago, and 2,131,000 five seasons ago. Carryover of American abroad is 3,174,000, against 3,673,000, 3,648,000, 2,656,000, 1,865,000 and 2,386,000 at the end of the last five seasons.

World consumption of American cotton in the season ended July 31 was about 13,564,000 bales, the New York Cotton Exchange Service estimated Monday. World carryover of American cotton is placed at 10,836,999 bales, against 11,754,000 a year ago and 13,228,000 two years ago.

World consumption of United States lint this season compared with 14,405,000 bales in the 1932-33 season, 12,506,000 two seasons ago, 11,113,000 three seasons ago, 13,021,000 four seasons ago and 15,226,000 five seasons ago. In the United States consumption was 7.6 per cent smaller than in 1932-33 and in foreign countries 4.6 per cent less.

"The continent of Europe used more American cotton than since 1929-30, consuming about 4,713,000 bales, compared with 4,079,000 last season," said the report. "Oriental consumption of 2,163,000 bales fell below the high of last season, which was 2,721,000, but was well above previous years. Great Britain used 1,406,000 bales, the largest amount since 1928-29 and compared with 1,365,000 last season."

BURTON H. SMITH OF LONGVIEW VISITOR HERE

These papers acknowledge a welcome social call, Monday, from our young friend, Burton H. Smith, who, for four years, has been manager of Duke & Ayers Variety store, at Longview, Texas. Mr. Smith was born and reared a few miles east of McKinney. He and his wife and little eleven months old baby son, Edward, are here on a vacation, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. (Pickett) Smith, in the Rhea's Mill community, and other relatives and friends in and around McKinney. Their little nine-year old daughter, Naomi Dale, was here visiting among relatives for several days, before her parents came. Mr. and Mrs. Smith attended the big picnic in McKinney for several days last week, where they met scores and scores of their good Collin county friends. Mr. Smith has developed into an excellent young business man. He says that Longview has certainly forged to the front in enterprise and building since he first located there, four years ago. The East Texas oil field has been a great boon to the town.

ADVERTISING OVER NATION PICKING UP

The confidence of business men that better times warrant increased advertising activities is reflected in a summary of promotion effort for June, reported in Advertising Age.

This report shows an increase of 9.9 per cent in the volume of newspaper advertising in June as compared with June 1933.

The total volume in 77 leading cities was 145,238,000 lines, as compared with 132,150,000 lines in June 1933. General advertisers led the way in percentage of increase with a total of 27,922,000 lines, a gain of 17.9 per cent over the figures of a year ago. Automotive advertising made an increase of 1,046,000 lines to 12,918,000, an increase of 8.8 per cent.

Retail advertising also showed a healthy increase of 4,715,000 lines, the new total being 76,715,000 lines. The percentage gain was 3.53. Classified advertising gained 4.6 per cent, totaling 20,946,000 lines.

FIRST CHRISTIAN PRIMARY DEPT. OPEN HOUSE

The Primary Department of the First Christian church is instituting an open house period each Sunday morning at that church throughout the month of August, according to Mrs. George James, superintendent of that department. From the time of opening, at 9:00 o'clock, until the closing at 11:00 o'clock, the sessions of this department will be open to the public and anyone interested has a cordial invitation to be present and see the work that these young folks are doing.

Mrs. James says that these primary students have done much constructive work during the past several months, much of which is on display in that department. This open house will extend throughout the month of August. They are expecting to entertain a large number of guests throughout the month.

DR. H. G. GOULD LAID TO REST AT FORT WORTH

Rev. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the Methodist church at Trenton, came over to McKinney Wednesday to conduct the funeral of his former neighbor, and good family physician, the late Dr. H. Gregory Gould.

The latter died at his home 501 South Tennessee street, Tuesday night, July 31, after a period of declining health, lasting about ten months.

Rev. Mr. Jackson, who was pastor of the South Wilcox Street Methodist church here at McKinney for three years, paid a well merited tribute to the family doctor in general and the deceased in particular.

The services were held in the chapel of the C. C. Harris Funeral home after which the remains were borne to Fort Worth for sepulture in Mt. Olivet cemetery at that place.

The deceased was an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, who had lived in McKinney for the past eighteen years. He was highly educated and widely traveled.

He was born at Fort Wayne, Ind., July 4, 1864. He is survived by his heart-broken wife who was married to him thirty-four years ago.

Many beautiful flowers covered the casket and new made grave.

PROF. C. D. TAYLOR CHAMBERSVILLE SCHOOL HEAD

Prof. C. D. Taylor of McKinney was elected principal of the Chambersville Consolidated School district at a meeting of the School Board held Saturday. He succeeds Prof. Frazier, who has been principal of this school for the past few years and who goes to New Mexico to accept a position. Prof. Taylor is well known in that section, having been principal of the Cottage Hill school for the past year or two. He has been attending summer school at E. T. S. T. C., Commerce, for the past few weeks. Prof. Taylor is the son of C. A. Taylor and a grandson of G. A. Taylor of McKinney. He is an accredited member of the National and State Basket Ball Officials' association, often refereeing games here and plays with the Press-Faculty team in the City Diamond Soft ball league.

Sheriff G. J. S. Walker and fine grandson, Glen Walker Massie, made an official trip to Gatesville, Texas, Monday, and on the following day, Tuesday, they made another auto journey to Austin, the state capital.

Dr. Marshall Munroe, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Houston, and wife are in McKinney for a week's visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Erwin Sr. and other relatives and friends.

VETERAN M'KINNEY PHYSICIAN IS WIDELY MOURNED

DR. JOE W. LARGENT LAID TO REST THURSDAY FORENOON

Funeral services of the late Dr. J. W. Largent, whose sudden death occurred at 11:00 o'clock Tuesday night, July 31, were held at 10:00 o'clock last Thursday morning at the family residence, corner of Benge and West Virginia streets.

It was largely attended, especially by representatives of the older families of the city and county in which the Largent family were pioneers and by his brother.

The floral offerings were profuse and beautiful, entirely covering the bier and filling the room in which the services were conducted.

In the absence of his pastor, Dr. Clifford S. Weaver of the First Christian church, Dr. E. O. Whitwell, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, conducted the funeral, assisted by Eld. R. C. Horn, veteran Christian minister of 90 who had known intimately the deceased since he was a child.

H. D. Mouzon, prominent Dallas business man, but formerly of McKinney, by request spoke and paid brief tribute to the deceased whom he had known intimately for over thirty years, both as family physician and personal friend. Mr. Mouzon cited instances of the philanthropy in both purse and professional practice of the veteran McKinney physician, who had practiced his profession for a half century, and who was born in Farmersville in East Collin. The Largent family through the years, has given several physicians and one pharmacist to the profession and has had a conspicuous part in development of Collin county in business as well as official and professional channels.

Mrs. George Cox, formerly Miss Dorothy Mouzan, beautifully sang as a solo, "The Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Burial followed in Pecan Grove cemetery under the direction of the Isaac Crouch Funeral home.

The deceased, who died suddenly of a heart attack, was born, February 14, 1862, being at the time of his death, 72 years, 5 months and 17 days old.

He is survived by his wife and the following children: Ed J. Largent of Oklahoma City; J. W. Largent Jr. of Dallas; Mrs. Hugh Hynds of Waco; Tom Largent, at home in McKinney; also, by one sister, Mrs. J. B. Mallow of McKinney and three brothers, Chas. M. Largent of Merkel, Texas; Ed Largent and Roy Largent, both of McKinney. He is also survived by his aged step-mother, Mrs. Laura Largent, of this city, and by four grandchildren.

Dr. Largent was often honored by his brother physicians with leadership in their professional associations and organizations. He was a member of the First Christian church and was always found an outspoken champion of the moral uplift of the town, community and state.

PROF. J. W. AKIN TELLS OF FATAL AUTO WRECK

Prof. John W. Akin, superintendent of Wylie Public schools, was in McKinney Monday getting better posted on the Democratic Primary election results of July 28. When news of the auto wreck, south of Wylie, in which Mrs Olivia Staples, 60, of Dallas, was killed Sunday afternoon was received, Prof. Akin immediately went to the scene of the accident and assisted in extricating the injured persons from the two cars, which came together with terrific impact.

Mrs. Staples was driving a Plymouth as she was returning to her home, 5003 Ross Avenue, Dallas, from a visit to her sons at Wylie.

In going over a hill in the road on Highway 78, just across the Collin line in Dallas county, about three or four miles south of Wylie, she unexpectedly encountered Jim Caldwell of Nevada coming in the opposite direction in a Chevrolet. The hill obscured the sight of each other until the cars were too close to avoid collision.

Prof. Akin states that the cars were badly demolished and were difficulty drawn apart by a wrecker. In the car with Mrs. Staples were Mrs. Sarah Margaret Delph, 70, of Dallas, and Mrs. Mary Peery, 83, also of Dallas. The injured ladies were taken to St. Paul's hospital, where Mrs. Staples died Sunday night and Mrs. Peery died a few hours later.

Mr. Caldwell, the occupant of the other car in the collision, sustained many painful bruises and cuts. Prof. Akin said the collision impressed very forcibly the care that motorists should take in remaining on their respective sides of the road, especially at such points where the road ahead is obscured by hills or curves, so that approaching vehicles coming from the opposite direction, can not be seen until you are right upon them.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chapel of Dallas are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Ida Pittman, and family in this city.

SCHOOL FUND PAYS $12 PER CHILD THIS YEAR

A total of $12 a child has been paid this scholastic year on the $16 apportionment and $2 more will be paid in August, it was estimated Tuesday at the State Department of Education, at Austin, leaving $2 due when the new fiscal year starts Sept. 1.

Thus the school fund will have paid a total of $14 on this year's apportionment and $5 on last year's apportionment which remained unpaid Sept. 1, 1933. This makes a total of $19 a child paid during the current scholastic year.

Under the new apportionment of $16.50, as ordered by the Board of Education at Bryan Monday, the total obligation for the next scholastic session is $18.50 per capita, or 50c per scholastic less than was paid this year.

It was said Tuesday that there will be a slight decrease in the number of scholastics under the current year's total, due to a campaign conducted to eliminate all padding and ineligible names from the census rolls.

A total of 1,575,652 scholastics was carried on this year's rolls. The total for the year starting Sept. 1 is expected to be around 1,560,000.

Great-Grandson Collin McKinney Gives Us Visit

J. K. McKinney of Van Alstyne mingled with his many friends on our streets Tuesday forenoon. He is the second of the six living sons of former County Tax Collector John W. McKinney, veteran Democratic leader of Anna in North Collin, who celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday on June 22.

J. K. McKinney motored from his home at Van Alstyne, to Oklahoma City, Monday. After leaving Gainesville to Pauls Valley, he noticed that crops had been fearfully blasted by the prevailing drouth and excessively hot, burning sun and temperature.

However, from Paul's Valley on to Oklahoma City, apparently the crops were some better, probably due to a little more moisture falling in that area.

J. K. McKinney is a native of Collin county, but has lived in Van Alstyne, which is just across the line in Grayson county, for the past fifteen years. J. K., who has lived within three miles of where he was born all of his life, is a great-grandson of Collin McKinney, signer of the Declaration of Texas Independence, member of Congress from this section during the Texas Republic days and later a member of the legislature after statehood and in whose honor both Collin county and McKinney took their names. This Texas patriot and pioneer is buried in the Van Alstyne cemetery.

Collin McKinney lived to be ninety-five and died in 1861, the year that the Civil war broke out.

Prof. and Mrs. Franklin G. Jones of Fort Worth visited their many relatives and friends. Prof. Jones is one of the teachers of T. C. U., Fort Worth.

Sam Apple, proprietor of Apple's Dairy, is advertising in our classified columns for some fresh Jersey milch cows. He needs them to ad to his herd to meet the increased demand of his retail milk customers in the city.

Mrs. Jennie Phelps will leave Saturday morning for an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Barber, in Los Angeles, California. Mr. and Mrs. Barber visited Mrs. Phelps here on Christmas, Mrs. Phelps now planning on a return visit to them in California.

Dr. Robert L. Cowan, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, left Friday for Chico, Texas, where he will conduct a meeting in the Presbyterian church there for the pastor, Rev. Alva E. Miller. Dr. Cowan will be there until the meeting closes Sunday August 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Knott spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Graves DeArmond, at their nice home near Woodlawn. They went out to get a good supper. And, they got it.

Lawrence Bell, a hard working young farmer of Prosper, wife and sons, Galon Lee and Charles, spent Sunday in McKinney, visiting Mrs. Bell's father, W. E. Talkington, and her sister, Miss Margie Talkington. Sunday, August 5, was Mr. Talkington's birthday. He is a son of the late County Treasurer L. R. Talkington and wife of this city. He was born a few miles northwest of McKinney.

Mrs. Lee Robinson of Celina returned home Monday after a few days visit to her sister, Mrs. J. Duncan Holder, and husband, in this city. Mrs. Robinson was formerly Miss Elsie Williams, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. M. D. Williams, one of the finest Christian old couples who ever lived in this county. This editor knew and loved them as real friends during his earlier life as a newspaper worker in this county.

A. T. (Tom) Finley, prominent Celina citizen and farm owner, was in McKinney Monday.

PERSONALS

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Mrs. Inman Hurt, who has been a patient in the City hospital, has been removed to the home of her mother, Mrs. Ida Pittman, on North Coleman street.

The Dick Allen home on Heard street is being reroofed with shingles. Mr. Blankenship, the carpenter, has the contract to do the work.

Miss Neva McBee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McBee of this city, is spending a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McBee, in Howe, Grayson county.

The first bale of Celina cotton was received at Celina Wednesday from the R. T. Peterman farm, which is located just north of that city. It weighed 464 pounds.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Porter were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Porter of El Centro, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Rucker Porter and baby son, Lane Bryant of Sulphur Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Macon Porter of this city.

Mrs. L. O. Griffin and daughter have returned from a several weeks visit to relatives in East Texas. Their husband and father is the proprietor of Griffin's barber shop located on the East Side of the square.

Charles B. Shipley, one of West Collin's most highly esteemed farmers and citizens, is slowly regaining his strength from a surgical operation he underwent about five weeks ago in the McKinney City hospital.

Mrs. Sam Callaham, about 58, a former resident of this county and a sister-in-law of Mrs. Tom Finley and Mrs. Tom ePrkins of Celina, died at her late home at Claude, Texas, at 8 o'clock Tuesday night after a long illness.

Clarence Jarrell, who lived near Lavon, died suddenly at his home there Friday evening after an illness that lasted only a few minutes. He is survived by his wife and several children. The deceased was a tenant on the Bud Brown farm, near Lavon.

Mrs. Henry Honaker and husband have returned to Wichita Falls after a week's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holder, in McKinney. Mrs. Honaker was formerly Miss Madine Holder of this city.

County Farm Agent Jack McCullough said Tuesday: "If possible we want to finish up the taking of applications and fixing allotments on all signers and non-signers by Aug. 15th. As far as I know there will be no extension of time.

Mrs. J. F. Morris and children, Miss Alma, Mae, Sarah Nell and Elton Floyd, of the Milligan community, were visitors in the county seat Saturday. While here Mrs. Morris ordered the Weekly Democrat-Gazette sent to her address for the ensuing year. We appreciate her patronage and friendly visit to our office.

C. M. McMahan and daughter, Miss Wilma, of Princeton were in the city Saturday on business. Mr. McMahan called by our office and renewed his subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year. Mr. McMahan has read our paper for a number of years. We thank him for his continued patronage.

Tom J. Shields, merchant at Sedalia, died Saturday and was buried Sunday. He was a member of the Pilot Grove Masonic Lodge. District Clerk-elect Tom L. Bailey was called to Sedalia to preside as Master at the Masonic funeral Sunday rites at the graveside. The deceased is survived by several children. He was a widower. He was held in high esteem as a citizen.

E. D. Guthrie of Austin and C. W. Pepper of Dallas were visitors in McKinney Friday, conferring with Prof. Jack R. Ryan, superintendent of McKinney Public Schools. These visitors are representatives of a big school book publishing concern and were in McKinney conferring with Prof. Ryan, who is President of the Free School Textbook Board of Texas.

Rev. G. H. Ussery of McKinney has just closed a thirteen-night revival meeting at the Mount Carmel Baptist church in Grayson county, of which he is pastor. During the meeting, there were forty-one decisions and twenty-three of them for baptism. Rev. Mr. Ussery was again called as the pastor for another year.

Miss Esther Brown, daughter of Judge and Mrs. George P. Brown of this city, arrived Friday night to spend the remainder of the summer with her parents. Miss Brown has been teaching in the Spanish department of Austin High school in El Paso, Texas, for the past year, having just completed her work in the summer school. Before returning home, Miss Brown spent a week with her sister, Mrs. T. O. Dowlen, of Houston.

Little Bettie Sue Marion, three and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Marion, died at the home of her parents in Frisco after an illness of only a few days. Besides her parents the deceased is survived by one brother, James, six years of age. Both paternal and maternal grandparents survive.

News Items From Over Collin County And Surrounding Territory

FRISCO

Mrs. W. B. Staley Jr.

Miss Margaret Hill is visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cobb of Waxahachie visited relatives here last week.

Miss Icy Herron of Myers was a week-end visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark.

Miss Lorene Jeffries of Denton is visiting her garndparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stover.

Mesdames J. W. and Lee Gordon were Dallas visitors last Friday.

Mrs. Luther Payne visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim St John at Aubrey.

A. J. Gunstream, who has been sick for the past week is improving.

Miss Romanie Haggard and Miss Ione Hampton of Megargle visited Mrs. C. C. Stanton at Sunset last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Marion and Mr. and Mrs. George Marion of Plano visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Francis Marion, and family Sunday.

F. M. Watson Jr. and wife have returned from a visit to Chicago's Century of Progress. They made the return trip in a new Chevrolet.

Mrs. J. M. Mallow attended a birthday dinner honoring Mrs Wade House at Little Elm. There were eighty relatives and friends present.

Mrs. W. J. Granberry of Lebanon ,who has been ill for the past several days, is reported as improving.

FLYTHE'S CHAPEL

Miss Corinne Hinsley

Our revival meeting here is in progress with our pastor, Rev. Thomas Sterck of Allen, delivering the sermons. Mr. B. F. Biggs has charge of the choir, Miss Venita Morrow pianist and Miss Correne Hinsley with the "Sunshine aBnd."

Mrs. Jim Smith and daughter, Miss Ruth of Norman, Oklahoma, visited friends here last week.

The home coming here was largely attended last Sunday. Friends met friends that they had not seen for years. A great time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Nale Spurgin of McKinney visited her mother, Mrs. J. A. Campbell Thursday afternoon.

Miss Frances Welch of near McKinney spent last week with Miss Edith Massingale.

Friends here of Lamar McGown Jr. of McKinney are sorry to hear of his misfortune. We hope he will recover soon.

Mrs. George Crittendon of McKinney visited relatives here last week and attended the meeting.

Miss Aline Robinson of Clear Lake is spending the week with Miss Correne Hinsley.

Mr. Hop Massingale went to his home in East Texas last Thursday and brought back some nice watermelons to his friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hinsley and daughter, Miss Correne, Miss Aline Robinson, Mrs. J. J. Sutherland, and Bro. T. Sterch spent Monday with Mrs. W. K. Gantt and children.

Mrs. J. J. Sutherland is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Hinsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gantt and Sonny have moved to Plano where Mr. Gantt will be in business. They visited homefolks here Sunday.

Miss Juanita Noblett spent Sunday night with Miss Lorrene Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. White and daughter, Ornie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Scott.

W. K. Gantt and son, Weldon are visiting relatives in Indianapolis and various points before they return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Norman and daughter, Jackie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bently and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Cooley have returned home from Oklahoma where Mr. Cooley has been in school.

NEVADA

Mrs. W. T. McCain

Alton Rodgers spent Sunday with Walter McCain.

Gordon Evans, who has been visiting his mother, has returned to Chicago where he will take up his work after a two weeks' vacation.

The revival which has been in progress at the Methodist church, has been a great success. Rev. McGown of McKinney has been bringing wonderful messages.

Dillard LaRue is at home for the summer after spending six weeks in Dallas attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Evans and son are attending the fair in Chicago.

Mrs. Oliver Haile visited Mrs. Oliver McMinn in McKinney the past week.

Sorry to report Mrs. Lou Gay ill at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Davis, Mesdames J. E. Davis, J. E. Jones and Davis Jones, were McKinney visitors Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Jones is visiting in Abilene this week.

Miss Tommie Evelyn Grimes who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Davis, returned home with Mrs. J. C. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pool and daughter, Jane and Mrs. G. W. Pool Sr., were in Dallas shopping Friday.

Miss Etta Robinson and Miss Jewel Thomas of Commerce spent the week-end with Mrs. E. F. Kirby.

Tom Kirby has been in McKinney visiting his uncle, E. F. Kirby and family.

Mrs. R. A. Maxey has returned home after a visit with her sister in Arkansas.

Mrs. Jim Hood of Greenville is visiting her father, Ed Watkins and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Reid of Deport are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith.

Ms. G. W. Pool Sr. entertained the 4-H club girls last Thursday. A delicious luncheon was served on the beautiful lawn of the Pool home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eubanks have returned after a trip to Galveston.

Miss Inda Mapp of Frederick, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bryant.

LAVON

Miss Lois Gray

Everyone around here was greatly sorrowed for Mrs. C. M. Jarrell and children who lost their husband and father Friday afternoon. They have the sympathy of everyone in this community.

Death calls another one of our dear friends and mother, Mrs. W. W. Tollette. She has been a citizen of this community for a number of years. They also have the sympathy of everyone in this community.

Tom Smith and Irene Harper were married Saturday night, August 4th, at Farmersville. They will make their home for awhile with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith in this community. Everyone in this community wish them a long successful and happy married life.

John Ellenburg visited Lois Gray Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Huffman spent Monday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gray and family. Lois accompanied them home Wednesday night to spend the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moore and family have returned from Marvin and Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore of Muleshoe.

BRANCH

Miss Myrtle Lafon

Miss Marie Pearson of Coppelc, Texas, is visiting Myrtle Lafon.

Several from this community attended church at Clearlake Sunday night.

Mrs. Susie Lafon and Mrs. Dollie Kirby are visiting at Coppelc, Texas.

Walter Lafon spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pearson at Coppell, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Welborn and family have returned home after visiting in New Mexico, Oklahoma and West Texas. Each person reported a fine time.

Miss Alene Lafon, daughter of Vernie Lafon, and Earl Nickerson, of Mrs. John Nickerson, were married Saturday night at Clearlake. We wish them a happy and successful life in the future.

A wedding dinner was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nickerson at the home of the bride's father, Vernie Lafon.

CLIFFT

J. W. Bryan

Gene Lillard was in Greenville Friday night. He plays with Jack Melodies.

J. A. Payton and family were in McKinney Saturday week.

H. E. Dunn of Dallas and Miss Leita Bellwood of Liberty Grove were visitors here Saturday evening week.

Perry Payton and family of Copeville visited J. A. Payton and family here Sunday week.

F. E. Durkee, wife and Peggy Jane visited relatives in Dallas Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Passons and children of Borger are visiting J. A. Payton and family and other relatives here.

Carl Payton and family of Rowlett visited J. A. Payton and family here Sunday.

Mrs. Payton of Rowlett is visiting her son, J. A. Payton and family here at this writing.

W. H. Rutledge, wife and son, Charlie, and Mrs. Ted Rutledge and baby of Oklahoma City, Okla. visited H. C. Rutledge and family here a few days last week.

Selby Leatherman and family of Dallas visited H. C. Rutledge and family here a few days last week.

G. J. Myers of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting relatives here at this writing.

WHITE'S GROVE

Mrs. W. J. Childress, cor.

Annie Mae Lewis who is ill with typhoid fever is slowly improving.

Mrs. J. W. Chilfress and daughters, Misses Alta and Josie, and son, Woodroe, spent Sunday with their sister and daughter, Mrs. R. L. Marshall of Foote.

Little LeRoy Maloney of Dallas is visiitng his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shields were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Standifer of McKinney.

Grady Bolin of this place visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Standifer of Foote Sunday.

Misses Alta and Josie Childress visited relatives at Blue Ridge Saturday and attended the Blue Ridge picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. West were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris.

Miss Marguerite Giles of Weston spent several days with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sutherland and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Prosper, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Sutherland.

Miss Velma Calhoun of Dallas spent the week-end with Miss Dinsmore of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Grogan.

FROGNOT

Mrs. Etta Rice

The wedding bells have been ringing in this community. Otaria Williams and Miss Irma Walls were married Saturday, July 28.

Martin Ray Patterson and Miss Willie Mae Braswell were married Wednesday afternoon, August 1. We wish all parties a long and happy wedded life.

C. G. Pate and wife visited J. W. Pate and family Thursday.

Mrs. Leslie Montgomery passed away Wednesday night, July 25, at 10 o'clock at the City hospital at McKinney. She underwent a serious operation and grew worse until death called her home. Miss Una Parkins was born April 6, 1897. She was married to Leslie Montgomery March 10, 1913. She joined the Baptist church in 1913 and had lived a Christian life. Wilson and Lamm were in charge of the funeral arrangements. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. R. Hilger of Greenville and her uncle, Rev. Mayse Parkins of Commerce.

Pallbearers were her cousins, Burl Duckworth, Loy Duckworth, Burl Noles, Cecil Childress, John Vanbevers and Ben King.

The flower girls were Angie Rushing, Wilma McDonald, Hazel Dixon, Willie Noles, Olean Parkins, Louise Wilson, Rosa Howell and Willie Drain. She is survived by her heart-broken husband and three children, Billie Jo, 15, Von Ray 6 and Charles Douglas 3, and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parkins; also three sisters, Olive and Ola Parkins, Mrs. Ima Wilson and a brother, Glen Perkins.

Those attending the funeral from other places were Mayse Parkins and family of Commerce, George Duckworth and family of Miller Grove; Ella King and family of Westover; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Melton of Dallas; W. R. Duckworth of Denison; Mrs. Settles of Denison; Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Denison; Mrs. Luella Duckworth of Durant; Mrs. Bilderback of Durant; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beldon of McKinney; Roy Eubanks of Gunter; Frank Rodgers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goodner of McKinney; Miss Kate Barker of Melissa; Mrs. Rufus Drain of Greenville and friends, Mrs. Poe, Mrs. Sheets and Mrs. L. C. Rominger of McKinney. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to her husband, children, parents and other relatives.

The deceased was a good Christian wife, mother, daughter and sister, a kind neighbor and friend. She was faithful to her church and home and will be missed by her many friends in this community. Her body was taken to the home of her parents where it reposed until the funeral hour at the Blue Ridge Baptist church, 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. She was laid to rest in the Blue Ridge cemetery. The mound was covered with many beautiful flowers. Lonely the house and sad the hours

Since our dear one has gone;
But oh, a brighter home than ours,
In heaven is now thine own.

Earth has lost its look of gladness,
Heaven seems to us more bright,
Since the spirit of our dear one,
Took her happy, homeward flight.

And we long to cross that river,
Long to rest upon that shore,
There to see and know and love her
With the Saviour evermore.

MILLWOOD

Miss Johnnie Boyce

Mrs. Tommie Holmes and children, Joe and Elsie, of Wylie, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce Wednesday.

Mrs. Freeman Feagin has been sick the past week.

Lester Ellenburg of Wylie visited Miss Mary Boyce Friday.

Fleman Boyce left Wednesday to go to Hot Springs for his health and will probably be gone four or six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Heny Watkins Friday.

Mrs. Dillard Huffman and daughter, Frankie Lou, visited Mrs. Harry Denman Friday.

Miss Aubrey Preston spent the past week in Rockwall visiting her cousin, Miss Marie Preston.

Miss Mary Boyce visited Joe and Olita Saturday morning.

Tommie Danimes and Wesley Watson visited Harry Denamn Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Smith spent Monday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Feagin.

Dock Preston of Rockwall visited Dennis Preston Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Herman Huffman is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harry Denman.

Little Freda Nell Denman is very sick at this writing.

Wanda Jean and Billy Spearman visited Mary Lais Daniels Thursday.

Mrs. Nick Steaser and children visited Mrs. Jim King Friday.

Mrs. Tom Springer of Wylie visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce Wednesday.

Joe Denman spent Tuesday with Leola Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Walker and children, Evirn and Junior, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce and family.

Edwin Moore visited J. D. Watson Saturday.

Miss Audrey Preston visited Olita Denman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Preston were visiting in Nevada Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wesley Watson's sister is visiting her from West Texas.

Weldon Preston visited Clarence Denman Sunday night.

ARDATH

Mrs. Jess Bates

Miss Amy Hinman of New Braunfels, Texas, has been visiting her uncles and aunts, Mrs. Jess Bates, Route 3, McKinney; Mrs. J. K. Robinson, Dallas; Mrs. Joe Wallis, Wylie; Ernest Henderson, Dallas; Son Henderson, Allen. Her mother was formerly Miss Audrey Henderson. Miss Amy will attend school at the State university this year.

Paul Evans and Miss Evelyn Scribner were married July 24.

Mrs. Joe Dean has been attending the bedside of her sister's baby, the infant being a child of Mr. and Mrs. Rutledge.

Mrs. Gunter has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Velma Green who is ill.

Charley Dunn is visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Wilcox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bates, Choice Bates, Herschel Robinson and Jody Henry attended the show at Farmersville Wednesday night.

Ernest Henderson gave his brother and sisters a fish fry at Allen recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bates and son are attending the Church of Christ meeting.

Forrest Lovelady and Miss Louis Gunter were married at J. W. Farley's Thursday night at 10 o'clock by Rev. Alma Farley. Miss Louise is one of our community's most popular young ladies and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. The groom was born and reared here, being an ambitious young fellow. Best wishes to the happy young couple.

WILSON CHAPEL

Mrs. S. A. Eastham

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Burnside and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neal, recently.

Dr. and Mrs. Bridgefarmer spent Wednesday with their son, Wesley Bridgefarmer, and family.

Miss Jewell Smith who has been a patient ot Carlsbad, the past six months, returned home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Funk and daughter of Princeton visited her mother, Mrs. B. F. Wylie, recently.

Miss Loubelle Short and Miss Beulah Marks of McKinney spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank Short.

Visitors of Mrs. S. H. Smith the past week were her mother, Mrs. Linderman, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Lindermen, of Enloe; Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Honea and children of Higgins; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague and son of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas and baby.

Miss Temperance Neal, nurse at the Carlsbad sanitorium, is spending a few days of her vacation with her brother, I. E. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Collie Bridgefarmer of McKinney spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bridgefarmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bridgefarmer are selling out property and household goods.

Ida Fay Thomas spent the week with Glenn Ray Eastham.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 6, 1909.)

Jake Blakeman of near Cisco, Eastland county, is visiting old home friends here at McKinney.

Miss Stanley Quisenbury who has been quite ill for the past two days is reported better today.

Contractor George B. Hughes wife and little son, Harold King, left today on a visit of several months to Roswell, New Mexico.

J. Perry Burrus and wife left yesterday to spend some time in "Cool Colorado." Also, they will visit at Salt Lake City, Portland, Seattle and Yellowstone park.

J. M. Andrews and wife have gone to Chicago. Mrs. Andrews will remain in the Great Lakes region for a portion of the hot summer season.

Jim Wilcox and Ed Rhea have returned from the National Elks convention in Los Angeles, California. They also attended the exposition, at Seattle, Washington.

Tom Airhart of the Valdasta community is erecting a splendid two story farm residence of eight rooms. Ross Apple of this city has the contract for the painting and papering.

NEW HOPE

Mrs. J. L. Hudson

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simmons visited the latter's mother, Mrs. M. D. Lambert and Mrs. Lambert and son, Clifton, D. returned home with thef to stay a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sisco Miller of Fort Worth visited Albert Drake and family.

Mrs. Ruby Drake of Wichita Falls visited Albert Drake and family.

Lloyd Hudson and family visited Lloyd Hudson's parents and Jim Hudson and family at Blue Ridge recently. Also Mrs. Hudson' father, W. O. Bowie, at Westminster.

The road camp has moved in this community and are doing good work on the roads.

Jim Hudson of Van Alstyne spent a few days with his nephew, Lloyd Hudson and family, recently.

Robert McNeme made a business trip to West Texas recently.

Mrs. Velma Gordon and children of Merit are visiting her mother, Mrs. Nora Bomar.

Jim Peters and family were Sunday guests of Lloyd Hudson and family.

J. D. Hudson is back home after a week's visit in Denton county.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bates are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Akins are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Albert Drake and family enjoyed a birthday dinner at C. T. Drake's Thursday.

Mrs. Nora Bomar and children, Mrs. Harris and Howell Lee and Lloyd Hudson and family enjoyed a fishing trip recently.

Elmer Hudson, wife and baby of Blue Ridge visited his brother, Lloyd Hudson, and family.

Robert Dungan and family of Lucas visited Mrs. McNeme recently.

Lee Moore and family were guests of Mrs. Harris Sunday.

Mrs. Dana Bomar's sister from East Texas is visiting her this week.

Tom Blassingame and family visited his brother at Princeton recently.

Jesse Peters spent the week-end with George W. Hudson.

John and Cecil Bomar and Junior and Vernon McNeme were guests of George Hudson Friday.

PIKE

Mrs. M. V. McGuffey

The Baptist revival is in progress here. Bro. Newsome doing the preaching.

The Methodist meeting begins the 2nd Sunday in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGuffey attended the funeral of their uncle, Frank Bandy, at Farmersville last Friday.

Mrs. Vera Acuff of McKinney is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cora McGuffey, this week.

Hershal McGuffey has returned fom a visit in Austin.

Misses Velma Margret and Ruby Hudson and Captola Christine of McKinney were visitors here Thursday.

Mrs. Simpson visited her daughter at Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. McGuffy returned from Wellington and Paducah where they visited friends and relatives, their son, Watson McGuffy, and family returned home with them for a week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. McGuffey Sunday were their children, Mrs. Belle Head and daughter, Imogene, of Whitewright, Mr. and Mrs. Watson McGuffey and family of West Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Terance McGuffey and son, Kenneth, of Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Farest Whited and family of Frognot, Mr. and Mrs. Murel McGuffey of McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Aron Richardson of Blue Ridge.

Little Miss Olga Lee Thorne of Aubra is guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Carroll.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Pinkerton are their daughters, Mrs. Ruby Boney of West Texas and Miss Ineze of California.

Grandma Norman is visiting relatives at Trenton.

MORELAND

Mrs. H. M. Umphress

Mrs. Vernon Giles and children of Westminster and Mrs. Maize spent Saturday with Mrs. Bill Goforth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Selman and daughter, Nettie Louise, spent Tuesday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selman, of Farmersville.

Miss Hylah White of Commerce spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White and family.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Burr John were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. John and daughter, Oleta, and Mr. and Mrs. Alva John.

Several from this place have been attending the meeting at Blue Ridge the past week.

Miss Bonnie Fas and Gerrette Raines of New Hope and Miss Norma Cleveland of Routh have been visiting Mrs. C. B. Hollis the last few days.

Tom Umphress spent Sunday with Aaron White.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prestidge spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Umphress.

Mrs. W. B. Norton of Greenville spent the week-end with her son, Mr. J. D. Umphress and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nevil of Blue Ridge spent Friday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Price, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Burlen Smoot and daughter, Glendolena, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hollis, and family of Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Umpress and daughter, Peggy Joyce, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Umphress and daughter, Billie Ruth, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Umpress and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Richardson of Denton spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White and family.

Miss Mozell Smoot spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Alva John of Frognot.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prestige spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Riddee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Curtis and family have been visiting relatives in East Texas this week.

Mrs. Bill Prestidge spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. C. B. Hollis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva John spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Smoot and family.

Miss Jessman Holmes of Aubrey spent Friday night with Miss Mildred Umpress.

INAUGURATE MOVE TO BUY CATTLE IN THIS COUNTY

This editor enjoyed meeting up with H. F. Ellis, of West, Texas, recently appointed appraiser and inspector of cattle in Collin county in the Federal government's plan to buy up surplus cattle as a means to further aid farmers and dairymen of drouth-stricken agricultural areas of the county.

D. Lackey of Omaha, Neb., and Dr. Richardson, of Kansas, both veterinarians, are also here and will work with Mr. Ellis as he goes over the county inspecting and appraising cattle, which owners wish to dispose of.

Actual work started in the county today (Tuesday) when Mr. Ellis visited several herds. He urges all farmers and dairymen, having cattle to dispose of, to sign up in County Farm Agent Jack McCullough's office at once. This is a necessary step, since Mr. Ellis is not permitted to inspect any cattle until the owners have signed application blanks in the agent's office.

Already some 200 or 250 owners have signed up, having for sale approximately 3,000 head of cattle. The rate the government pays for cattle is as follows:

Cows, $12 to $20.
Yearlings, $10 to $15.
Calves, $4 to $8.

"We take any class of animals," Mr. Ellis told this editor Tuesday morning, "whether bulls, cows or calves, paying for them within the price range as stipulated by the government.

"If the apprasial isn't satisfactory, and the owner is not satisfied with the price offered him, then he is not obligated to sell his cattle," Mr. Ellis continued. He makes this explanation following questions often asked whether or not owners must sell their cattle, in event the price offered is not satisfactory.

This buynig up of cattle is not compulsory on the part of any owner, he further explains, but is merely a step taken by the Federal government to help owners of cattle, providing a market for any surplus cattle they may have on hand. He estimates that from the time the cattle leave the local market, some ten days will elapse until the government check is received in payment for the livestock.

PRICES FARM PRODUCTS RISE IN UNITED STATES

According to Washington, D. C. records the mid-July index of prices received by farmers for their products was 3 points higher than on June 15 and the buying power of farm products also rose 3 points during the month, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics estimates. Index of farm prices was 80 on July 15, the highest since June, 1931, and compared with 77 a month ago and 76 a year ago. Purchasing power of farmers was 66 per cent of prewar against 63 on June and 71 a year ago.

Advance in the index of farm products prices was not general last month but reflected substantial reductions in the estimated production of certain crop and live stock items. Prices of meat animals other than hogs have declined sharply, due to heavy drouth sales; wool prices dropped slightly and work animal prices showed a seasonal recession.

Among the prominent North Texas Rotarians to attend the sectional assembly of that international service club organization at McKinney Friday was Joe H. Durning, District manager of the Texas Power & Light Co. with headquarters, at Sherman. Mr. Durning is a past president of the Sherman club and a leader in church and civic life of that enterprising neighboring city of ours to the north.

Mrs. J. W. N. Burkett has gone to Houston to visit at the home of her daughter and husband who live there.

SISTER OF MRS. TOM W. PERKINS PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Tom W. Perkins was called Sunday morning, August 5, to Vernon by the very critical illness of her sister, Mrs. Smith Mallow.

In company with her daughter, Mrs. J. Ollie Smith, and her son, Maxwell F. Perkins and wife she left at once for Vernon, where they arrived at 4:00 o'clock that afternoon. However, the sister had already passed away before their arrival. The burial took place at 4:00 o'clock last Monday afternoon with funeral services conducted by her pastor.

The deceased, formerly Miss Hattie Faulkner, was born in this city about sixty years ago. She was the daughter of the late Eld. J. Ben Faulkner, pioneer Christian preacher of this county and a Confederate soldier, who died at Quanah, Texas, a number of years ago. She was married to S. L. (Smith) Mallow who was also born and reared in Collin county.

Soon after they married, they moved to Vernon, Texas, where the family had since resided.

She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Cole, also by the following sisters and brother: Mrs. Tom W. Perkins of McKinney; Mrs. A. M. McKinney of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Fannie Ware, who also resides in Oklahoma City, and by Jim Faulkner, a resident of Dallas. She is also survived by her stepmother, Mrs. J. B. Faulkner, Quanah, Texas.

The deceased was a lifelong member of the Christian church, a devout and loving daughter, sister, mother and wife. Her amiable and sympathetic nature endeared her to every neighbor and acquaintance. Her passing is mourned by a number of relatives and acquaintances in different parts of Collin county as well as by a host of friends in every part of Wilbarger county her adopted home.

COLLIN DEMOCRATS COUNTY MEET IS HARMONIOUS

Collin county Democrats held a harmonious session in the district courtroom of the courthouse Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, the occasion being the Collin County Democratic Convention, called by Ed Blakeman, County Democratic Executive Committee chairman.

The convention was largely attended, being called to order by Mr. Blakeman. Judge George P. Brown of this city was elected temporary and then made permanent chairman. Ted Sisco, young McKinney attorney, was elected secretary, while former Representative Sam E. Bateman, of Celina, was made assistant secretary.

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Elect Delegates.

The convention elected delegates to the state convention in Galveston, September 11, and instructed the group to vote as a unit in the state meeting.

A resolution endorsing ex-Governor Jas. E. Ferguson for National Committeeman was tabled. Delegates were uninstructed as to a National Committeeman from Texas.

The following boxes had held conventions and sent the following delegates to the county convention: Northwest McKinney No. 1, Weston, Prosper, Rhea Mills, Valdasta, Nevada, Anna, Farmersville, Southeast McKinney, Josephine, Desert, Frisco, South Celina, Blue Ridge, Southwest McKinney ,North McKinney, Melissa and North Royse.

The following voting precincts had failed to hold conventions, but delegates were present and seated by the convention: Wylie, T. M. Staples; Forest Grove, Ura Moore, Ed MaGee; Northeast McKinney, C. T. Tarvin, L. T. Gay, J. B. Cannaday; Princeton, C. H. Akin, R. R. Parker, C. E. Devoe; Murphy, Roscoe Stewart, E. F. Boyd; Verona, R. M. Anderson; Allen, W. C. and R. R. Leach.

The following men were appointed on the credentials committee: Sam E. Bateman, H. L. Davis, Bob Lucas. The committee made the following report: "We your commitcee on credentials recommend that delegates answering to roll call be seated." The resolution was adopted and the committee was discharged.

Resolution Committee.

The following named men were appointed by the chair as committee on resolutions: T. A. Porter, D. E. Neathery, H. R. Childress .They returned the following report: "We your committee on resolutions submit the following report: whereas on the 4th day of August, 1934, Collin county Democratic convention was called to order by Hon. George P. Brown, chairman; and, whereas, the convention was in perfect accord: New, therefore, be it resolved that the minutes of the convention be approved."

The motion was made and seconded that the chair appoint a committee of three select delegates to the State convention and the following named men were appointed to serve on the committee: E. S. Boyd, H. R. Biggerstaff, J. W. Purcell, the three selecting the following named citizens to serve as delegates to the State convention, the delegation being approved by a majority vote of the convention and instructed to vote as a unit:

T. M. Staples.
J. W. Housewright.
W. H. Gandy, Jr.
William Keeley.
Claudie Williams.
Jno. Calloway.
Ted Cisco.
Mrs. Ted Cisco.
Chas. H. Akin.
Geo. P. Brown.
J. W. Purcell.
Tom Airhart.
Henry Morgan.
J. K. Fryer.
J. H. Garrison.
Herb Biggerstaff.
Chas. Spradley.
T. C. Andrews.
H. L. Davis.
Dick DeArmond.
J. M. Gay.
Mrs. Ott Gray.
C. W. Neatherly.
John Doyle.
F. D. Perkins.
Geo. Reinhardt, Jr.
Sam E. Bateman.
F. P. Shrader.
Roland Boyd.
Geo. P. Brown.
Ed Blakeman.
B. B. Carpenter.
John Reese.
Rosco Stewart.
J. R. Lovelace.
O. C. Barnett.
Joe Aston.
T. D. Byers.
Bob Lucas.
R. R. Parker.
Wallace Houston.
Grover Burton.
Henry Greenwood.
Fred Agnew.
G. M. Rice.
J. W. Gladden.
J. F. Biggerstaff.

Tom H. Parvin, Route 1, McKinney, and two little daughters, Sarah Elizabeth, 10, and Mary Jo, 8, were welcome visitors to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and Daily Courier-Gazette office Saturday. Mr. Parvin is a son of the late George Parvin, a pioneer settler and excellent citizen, of the Prosper community in West Collin. Tom H. Parvin is still living on the old homestead of his parents, two and a half miles west of Prosper. His two little daughters go to and from school in Prosper, with a spotted pony for a mount. Prosper has a school bus, but it operates in the territory west of the town of Prosper so Mr. Parvin says.

BACK TO THE FARM

Here's your chance. 50 acres, two miles from town, on main Cement highway. Thirty acres fine, deep, black land, no Johnson or Bermuda grass. 20 acres finest pasture in county, being lots of Pecan trees. Good house, barn ,plenty of water. For full particulars, call on McKINNEY REALTY COMPANY, Exclusive Agents.

Editor Tom R. Poole of the Greenville Herald attended the District meeting of Rotary officials, at McKinney, Friday. He is president of the Greenville club, of which organization he is a charter member. Editor Poole is one of the best newspaper men of North Texas whom we were glad to welcome as a visitor in our city.

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Collin County Motor Co.

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McKinney, Texas

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ANT garden and field seed for e summer and fall crops. See for seed of best quality.—ANCIS SEED CO., 120 South nnessee street, McKinney.

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DE ON WORLD Record Tires. y as you ride. Payment plan. nlop Tire and Rubber Co. one 448. H. B. Gerrish, Mgr.

R SALE: Household furniture, yer piano, Brunswick talking chine, at a big bargain. D. C. dgefarmer, at Lowery Cross-

LEPHONE BOXES for sale. 12 them for only $10 for all. A gain.—D. C. Bridgefarmer, R. McKinney.

MONEY LOANED

TOMOBILE Loans Notes Re- nced Payments made smaller Loans Confidential, Quick rteous service. Earl Montgo- y's Automobile house, just west d house, McKinney, Texas. NDY McGARR.

WANTED

NTED: Portable typewriter, ington or Underwood prefer- No junk. Cash.—JNO BREW- Celina, Texas.

NTED to buy a few fresh ey cows. Apples Dairy, Phone

NTED: Cash register, pay , write full particulars, price . L. PATTERSON, Wylie, as.

RADIO

DIO: Any make repaired ges reasonable. L. W. YOUNG Wilcox street, Phone 365.

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TRY OUR 25c Plate Lunch. You'll like it. White Swan Cafe. Alex Burks, prop.

MRS. S. R. BALLARD announces that she is now located at PERKINS BROS. and invites you to see her for your picoting and hemstitching.

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PHONE 261 and a man with 22 years experience will call at your door and show you samples and estimate your job of Upholstering, Refinishing and Mattress Renovating. OSTROM & TERRY, 213 North Kentucky street.

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BARBER SHOPS

GRIFFIN BARBER SHOP, East Side square, McKinney. Courteous, expert workmen. Patronage solicited.

MIDWAY BARBER SHOP for best work and most courteous service.—I. M. COUNTS, Prop.

COSY BEAUTY AND BARBER SHOP. Expert work and popular prices.—I. M. COUNTS, prop.

LOST

LOST: Brown pocket book, containing currency, silver and checks payable to J. B. Tucker. Reward for return to Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

LOST: Ladies' white purse between Farmersville and McKinney; contained letters and $14.75. Reward for return to this office or MISS NELL MOORE, 1475 Park St., Greenville, Texas.

URED ROAD WORKERS BOTH WORLD WAR VETS

RL R. QUISENBERRY D J. C. BARNES RESIDE IN McKINNEY

e met up with Earl R. Quis- rry, 303 Oak street, this city, was seriously injured by a crushing bucket that fell on while he was working with crew on the McKinney-Dal- pike that is being rebuilt.

s injury, July 27, as reported his paper at the time, occur- on the right-of-way about miles southeast of Plano. He ained three cuts of several s length each on the head to the skull.

C. Barnes of McKinney was ing with Mr. Quisenberry was even more seriously in- , his skull being fractured wo places. Mr. Barnes is still e local City hospital, while Quisenberry was able to the hospital after six days ment. Both of them are now y improving, but it will be time before they will be able esume their work again.

th Messrs. Barnes and Quis- rry are World War veterans. latter was with the 114th ly Co. on the Verdun and e fronts. Mr. Quisenberry, his entire company, were ely gassed, from which he ll a sufferer. Mr. Quisenber- a son of C. M. Quisenber- ow of Wise county, but who born and reared in the Up- Rowlett community, ten miles of McKinney. Earl's grand- r, the late R. T. (Uncle y) Quisenberry was one of early pioneer farmers and nters who settled in the Up- Rowlett community in West n.

RISTIANS IN REVIVAL AT MELISSA CHURCH

REE VISITING MINIS- TERS WILL PREACH THERE THIS WEEK

lendid crowds continue to at- the Christian church revival e Melissa tabernacle. The ng will continue until Sun- night. Thursday night Rev. Anderson of Denison will h and Friday night Dr. C. Weaver, pastor of the First tian church of this city, will the pulpit. Saturday night D. W. Nicholas of Plano is speaker. Rev. A. L. Cliken- is pastor of the Melissa tian church.

lter O. Haggard, extensive holder and successful South farmer, is building a new ry home a few miles north- of Plano.

FIRST BALE BRINGS 21 CENTS POUND

W. B. MITCHELL BUYS BALE BROUGHT IN BY JOHN BATES

The first bale of the 1934 cotton crop in Collin county was auctioned off on the public square here late Wednesday afternoon, selling for 21 cents per pound. This is in comparison to 11.50 cents per pound paid for the first bale last year.

W. B. Mitchell, McKinney druggist, purchased the first bale again this year, several times in the past years having bought the first bale arriving on the local market. Sheriff G. J. S. Walker was the auctioneer.

The bale was brought to McKinney and ginned on August 1 by John Bates, farmer residing in the New Hope community, four miles northeast of McKinney. The bale, when ginned at the McKinney Gin company, of which John Snapp is manager, weighed 1,500 pounds in the seed, the lint bale weighing 502 pounds.

Mr. Bates made a request to the A. A. A. authorities at College Station for permission to sell the bale, which permission was received a day or two ago.

In addition to the regular price of 21 cents per pound Mr. Bates received a premium of $52.00, raised among McKinney merchants by a committee from the Junior Chamber of Commerce, consisting of Jimmie Belden, chairman; Ted Reddell and Clyde Horn.

Mr. Bates says he picked the bale from twenty-five of his sixty-three acres of mixed Mebane and Sunshine varieties cotton, using some twenty-five workers to gather it. He has a fair yield this year and is expecting to make a fairly good crop.

The week beginning August 19 has been designated as Texas Centennial Week, according to Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson who has issued a proclamation to that effect. During the week every Texan is expected to discuss plans for boosting a celebration commemorating 100 years of Texas Independence, and the centennial should be discussed in every social and club meeting, at every dinner table and in all places where men and women congregate, to the end that Texas shall become centennial-minded. The governor urges all citizens to start their plans now for this project which will take place in 1936, in order to make it a most successful one.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin of Carney, Denton county, were guests Friday of Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Burton, in this city. The Griffins are among the foremost citizens of that part of the county.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, Judge.
Mrs. Eual Ford, Deputy.
L. A. Sears, Clerk.
W. C. Dowdy, County Attorney.
Leon Moses, Assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, Assistant.

New Suits

C. C. Dunn vs. Peoples Life Insurance Co. et al, Injunction.

W. L. Garner vs. Josephine Garner, divorce.

Josephine Garner vs. Lee Garner, divorce.

J. B. Lokey, et al, vs. G. W. Lokey, et al, partition and cancellation.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Hon. J. Frank Harrington, Judge.
Mrs. Pearl Strother, Clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, Chief Deputy.

Marriage License

Woodrow Barnes and Juanita Crawford.

Floyd Lee Johnson and Bonnie Maie King.

F. H. Lovelady and Lois Gunter.

Earl Nickerson and Alene Lafon.

Edgar Rutledge and Anna Belle Curtis.

Ernest Leslie Perry Jr., and Linnie Lee Hardin.

Clyde Stephens and Lois Mae Johnson.

D. C. Looney and Nellie Elizabeth McClung.

Ernest Davis and Lorece Combest.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, Constable.
Bill Herndon, Deputy.

The Constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week with pleas of guilty: Four for disturbance; one for drunkenness; two for affray: two charges filed against a man for sale of liquor—party released on bond; a negro was arrested and fined the maximum amount of $200 and cost on a charge of disturbance or looking into a window of a private home at night.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NEWS

G. J. S. Walker, Sheriff.
Jim Douglass, Office Deputy.
George Eubanks, Riding Deputy.
A. G. Sparlin, Special Deputy.
Stony Allen, Jailer.

The Sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed and pleas of guilty in Justice Court: Six for drunkenness; one for disturbance; two for assault; three for abusive language; charges filed against two parties for sale of liquor—one party released on bond, the other party is still in jail; charges filed against a party for sale of liquor—bond made: charges filed against a party for burglary—bond made; charges filed against a party for theft over $50—bond made.

The City officers have made the following arrests: one for disturbance; one for drunkenness; one for assault.

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Vital Statistics for July

Following is the vital statistic record for the month of July as kept by local registrar Erwin C. Craus:

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Murray, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Duncan, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lovelady, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Edwards, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd D. Tate, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Union Wilson, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lee Hines, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Yeager, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble J. Atkins, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Godwin, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas F. Sides, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rutherford, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hartine, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Freeman, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Sisk, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Lawley, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burt Moulden, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Maley, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Oliver, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Sutherland, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred R. Akin, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Earl Smith, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron G. Snider, boy.

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Deaths

Mrs. Mary Belle Muse.
Francis Marion Renfro.
John Wilkerson Green.
W. A. Ballard.
Una Montgomery.
William C. Perry.
Mrs. T. J. Cloyd.
William Martin Finch.
Susan Elizabeth Eddlemon.
Mrs. Geo. Seals.
John P. McGuffin.
Worthy Strickland.
T. F. Faulkner.
D. F. Banks.

ALLRED ADVOCATES REPEAL OF RACE TRACK GAMBLING

NOT SURPRISED McDONALD HAS THROWN SUPPORT TO TOM HUNTER

Attorney General James V. Allred, candidate for governor, issued a statement advocating repeal of the race track gambling law and demanding a statement of attitude from his opponent on the issue. He also said he was not surprised that C. C. McDonald, unsuccessful candidate for governor, had thrown his support to Tom Hunter.

Allred's statement was contained in a letter to D. A. Frank of Dallas, chairman of a mass meeting of citizens in Dallas at which repeal of the rate track gambling law was advocated.

"I am opposed to gambling in any form, legal, illegal or otherwise," Allred said. "It will be remembered that I was present at a meeting of the ministers of Tarrant and Dallas counties at Arlington last fall which condemned the race track law and demanded it repealed.

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Position Never Doubted.

"My position in the matter has never been doubted. I direct your attention to the following statement from an editorial in the New York Press since the first primary, lamenting the fact that pari-mutuel gambling has fallen into such disrepute in Texas; 'and, to top the woes of those who love horse racing as a sport, James V. Allred, attorney general of Texas, and a foe of racing, was nominated for governor on the democratic ticket, which is tatamount to election.'"

Allred has not yet been nominated for the governorship by the Democratic party of Texas. He and his opponent, Tom F. Hunter of Wichita Falls, were high men in the first primary but a second primary is coming up Aug. 25 to determine which of them shall be the party's nominee. Both have strong support and claim they will be victorious.

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Loves Clean Sports.

"Personally, I love good clean sports," Allred's letter continued, "But I regard gambling as the most baneful character-destroying influence in Texas life today."

Allred, in commenting on the endorsement of his opponent by C. C. McDonald, a candidate for the governorship who was eliminated in the first primary said:

"I am not at all surprised at Charley McDonald's endorsement of Mr. Hunter. A few years ago, while Hunter and his friends were maneuvering and manipulating around, he issued a statement out of a clear sky, denying he was making a trade with McDonald or Jim Ferguson, but admitting he had asked their support. No one had accused him of making a trade, or even suggested that he was going to do so.

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Grateful for Votes.

"I don't think the friends of Mr. McDonald or Jim Ferguson will appreciate the effort to deliver them like a sack of chips to some other candidate. I would of course, be grateful for the votes of any of the honest and conscientious men and women who may have followed Mr. Ferguson, or who voted for Mr. McDonald; but to be perfectly frank about it, I don't want to be under any obligations whatever to Jim Ferguson, Charley McDonald or any other politician who claims to be able to deliver the votes of Texas citizens.

"We had hoped that we were rid of this troublesome question, but Mr. Hunter's frank bid for the support of Jim Ferguson could not but have put him under obligations, and he now occupies the same seat from which Mr. McDonald was displaced in the first primary election."

McDonald was supported by the Fergusons in the first primary and Former Governor James E. Ferguson stumped the state in his behalf.

To The People of Collin And Grayson Counties

The official returns of last Saturday show that, although I carried Collin county, in fact, received a majority over both of my honorable opponents, yet, as a result of the vote in Grayson county, I was nosed out of the run-off by a comparatively narrow margin.

To those who voted for me, I am indeed thankful and grateful. To those who did not see fit to vote for me, I have no words of censure or criticism. But, on the other hand, crave their friendship and good will.

Very truly,
C. H. (CHAS.) AKIN,
McKinney, Texas,
August 8, 1934.

Miss Frances Couch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Couch of this city and a member of the faculty of Baylor Female college, Belton, is taking a summer course in her profession, at Columbia university, New York.

Harold Gregory Gould.
Joe W. Largent.
Mrs. Kenne O. Hilderbrand.
Mrs. J. W. Hamilton.
Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Godwin.

COTTON CROP IS ESTIMATED AT 9,195,000 BALES

3,852,000 LESS THAN YIELD LAST SEASON; SHORTEST SINCE 1921

Following the Government production forecast of 9,195,000 bales of cotton, made Wednesday, cotton prices jumped from $2.00 to $2.45 per bale over the previous day's quotations. The forecast was approximately 300,000 bales less than the average advance guess.

This is the shortest crop since 1896, with the single exception of 1921. The forecast, made by the Department of Agriculture, declares that the probable crop is 3,852 bales less than last year and 5,480,000 bales less than the average production during the five-year period, 1928-32. The 1921 crop fell below 8,000,000 bales.

Condition of the crop on Aug. 1 was reported at 60.4 per cent of normal, compared with 74.2 per cent a year ago and with a ten-year average of 67.7 per cent.

The yield per acre was estimated at 160.5 pounds, or about 9 pounds less than the average during the years 1923-32. The indicated yield per acre was above average in all major states east of the Mississippi river, but below in all major states west of it.

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Below Consumption.

The indicated production for this year will fall approximately 3,805,000 bales below the normal consumption of 13,000,000 bales and cut materially in the estimated carryover of 10,836,000 bales on July 31.

The department attributed the unusual damage to drouth.

With the appearance of the report, Secretary Wallace called a conference of farm administration officials to discuss the figures shown and possible effects on cotton acreage reduction.

The secretary declined comment.

The report showed 27,371,000 acres in cultivation on Aug. 1. This is 8.7 per cent less than the acreage harvested last year and 32.5 per cent below the 1928-32 average.

The crop reporting board declared it had made allowance in its estimate for probable loss due to boll weevil damage.

"Reports indicate that the dry, hot weather of late June and July has greatly reduced the probability of material weevil damage this season," the board declared.

The smaller acreage was due to cotton control program of the agricultural adjustment administration combined with the restricting influence of the Bankhead law on planters who did not sign acreage reduction contracts.

The condition of the crop Aug. 1 and the indicated production in 500-pound gross weight bales, as reported by the department, follow:

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Report by States.

Virginia, condition 85 per cent of a normal and indicated production 35,000 bales; North Carolina, 77 and 606,000; South Carolina, 67 and 620,000; Georgia, 69 and 881,000; Florida, 66 and 21,000; Missouri, 72 and 176,000; Tennessee, 74 and 368,000; Alabama, 74 and 915,000; Mississippi, 71 and 1,062,000; Louisiana, 60 and 446,000; Texas, 48 and 2,382,000; Oklahoma, 42 and 509,000; Arkansas, 57 and 756,000; New Mexico, 77 and 83,000; Arizona, 91 and 101,000; California, 96 and 223,000; all other states, 83 and 11,000.

Lower California, Mexico (not included in California nor United States total), 10,000 bales.

AN ERRONEOUS OPINION HELD BY SOME FARMERS

AS REGARDS THEIR ALLOTMENT, SAYS COUNTY FARM AGENT

County Farm Agent Jack P McCullough says that many farmers hold an erroneous opinion that they must get their allotment before they can pick and gin their cotton. This is not the case, since they are permitted to go ahead with picking and ginning. However they will not be permitted to sell the cotton until they make applications for allotments and receive their certificates, the county farm agent says.

Miss Margaret Hughston of Dallas visited relatives in McKinney yesterday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Hughston, formerly of this city, and a sister of Tom H. Hughston manager of the Collin County Cotton Oil Mill. She completed her four-year course in Texas State Woman's College (C. I. A.), in June. She majored in music. She is pipe organist, this summer, for the First Methodist church, Dallas, and keeps quite busy in her musical work. She is very talented as a pianist and pipe organist.

Ed J. Largent, young business man of Oklahoma City, and J. W. Largent Jr. of Dallas, were both summoned to McKinney early Wednesday morning by the sudden death of their father, the late Dr. Joe Largent.

PERSONALS

William D. Smith Jr., a young McKinney garage man, was a business visitors in Dallas Wednesday. He took along with him his wife and fine little son, Billie Jr., and also his wife's sister, Miss Carrie Talkington, who spent the day visiting in the metropolis.

Mrs. Albert Sidney Johnston of Dallas spent Monday in McKinney, visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Gribble. Her husband, who is a prominent Dallas lawyer and state political leader, was in Texarkana attending court, representing some clients.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Purnell and young daughter of St. Louis, Missouri, who have been guests of Mrs. Purnell's parents, Editor and Mrs. Clint Thompson, and Mr. Purnell's brother, Tip Purnell, and wife, accompanied by Mr. Tip Purnell, wife and daughter, Elizabeth, left early Wednesday morning for St. Louis, where they will be guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Casey Purnell.

The Collin County Red Cross chapter has sent $85 cash to the storm relief fund for the benefit of the South Texas storm sufferers, at Corpus Christi, and other points along the Gulf in that part of the state. Prof. W. S. Smith is President of the Collin County Red Cross chapter, this year. He called several members of the Disaster Committee together. They authorized the participation of the Collin County chapter in this worthy cause.

W. E. Marshall, keeper of Club Lake for the last thirteen years, while in town Friday, told us that the water is evaporating from that 200-acre club lake very rapidly. He doesn't think that more than half of that area is now under water. He hopes it will rain soon to replenish the supply in order to save the great quantity of choice fish of the several varieties with which the lake has been stocked in the last two or three years.

Hon. J. S. Kone of Sherman was in the city Friday in the interest of his candidacy for Flotorial Representative from Grayson and Collin counties, the 45th district. Mr. Kone is an attorney of many years' experience. He has lived in Grayson county ever since he was a few weeks old. He made this office a pleasant call. Mr. Kone states that he expects to make an active campaign in the two counties for this important office.

Miss Frances Burrage, a trained librarian with A. & M. college of Texas, College Station, during the past year and re-elected again for the ensuing year, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John E. Burrage, at McKinney. She and her mother are planning to leave at once for Chicago to attend the World's fair. Miss Frances who is a native of McKinney received her university training at the University of Illinois and in Columbia university, New York.

Officers of the Pecan Grove Cemetery association remind cemetery owners, who have not yet paid their annual cemetery dues, to do so at their earliest possible convenience. July was the time for annual payment of dues, quite a number of lot owners having already made their annual payment. However, there are several who have apparently let the matter slip from their mind. It is these to whom the association is appealing and urging them to pay as soon as possible. Those who wish to pay their lot dues may see either Mrs. Frank Emerson or Henry W. Warden.

L. B. Raper, 309 Date Street, Plainview, Texas, is visiting his father, former County Tax Collector A. T. Raper, and other relatives in McKinney for a few days. We acknowledge a welcome call from him Tuesday and thank him for his $400 check to have his name enrolled on the Daily Courier-Gazette subscription list for a year in advance. Mr. Raper is a worthy young business man, a native of Collin county, but is a great booster for his adopted home town in that section of West Texas around Plainview, where he has been living for the past several years.

Rev. G. H. Ussery began a meeting Sunday, August 5, at Light's Chapel, a few miles northwest of Celina, of which church Rev. Roy Stanley is pastor. Rev. Mr. Ussery, who lives in McKinney, will do the preaching during the two weeks meeting. After closing the Light's Chapel meeting, Rev. Ussery will begin another at Culleoka on Sunday, August 19, of which church he is pastor. Rev. Mr. Ussery is the pastor of several Baptist churches in Collin and Grayson counties. His meetings are always attended by a good measure of success as he is a consecrated, earnest young Baptist minister.

Rev. G. B. Airhart is in a good meeting at Stony Point, which has already resulted in a number of conversions and additions to the Baptist church at that place where he is pastor. He was reared in that community, and Stony Point is his mother church. He has served it a number of years as pastor. He expects to close the meeting Thursday night and will baptise at Melissa Friday afternoon, August 3 at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Airhart will preach in the pulpit of the Frist Baptist church in McKinney at 11:00 o'clock Sunday, August 5.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Evans, residing near Allen, were McKinney visitors Friday. While here, they dropped by to subscribe for the big Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year in advance.

Jess Eakles is seventy-six years old today (Friday). Born in Collin county. Lived practically all of his life in the Blue Ridge community. About one year ago, Mr. Eakles moved to McKinney with his good wife, building a brand new home on North Church street. Mrs. Eakles, a few years younger of Mr. Eakles, is also a native of Collin county. McKinney certainly gained a fine family when Mr. and Mrs. Eakles moved to our city.

Deputy Sheriff C. L. Walker of Josephine who is also Night Watchman of that little Southeast Collin town, was in McKinney Friday, transacting business and greeting friends. Mr. Walker has lived in Collin county thirty-two years. He formerly lived at Nevada prior to moving to Josephine in February, 1933. In 1928, Mr. Walker was elected Justice of the Peace of Precinct 7 which includes Nevada, Josephine, Copeville, Lavon, Millwood, and North Royse. He served four years in that office. He made a second place record in Collin county for Justice of the Peace during the time he served in that office.

Drouth has utterly devastated that part of Missouri around Carrollton, so writes Mrs. Grover C. Moritz of that place in a letter received by her sister, Mrs. Rufus A. Furr of McKinney, Friday. Corn which is the principal crop is practically a total failure. Feedstuff likewise has been ruined. Much livestock has died and is dying, both from the lack of water and of feed. It is perhaps the most severe drouth in the history of that section of Missouri in the opinion of Mrs. Moritz whose husband is a successful breeder of Poll-Angus cattle. Mrs. Moritz was born and reared at McKinney, being formerly Miss Grace Rice before her marriage. She is a daughter of Mrs. J. E. Wilson who resides on North Kentucky street.

A. T. Raper who resides at 614 North Church street was able to ride downtown Tuesday with his son, L. B. Raper, who is visiting him from Plainview, Texas. A. T. Raper has been in poor health for about ten months, but is now greatly improved and steadily regaining his former health and physical strength. Mr. Raper owns a farm near Weston on which he lived for many years. At one time, he was Justice of the Peace of the Weston-Celina Precinct. He was twice elected County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, this county, serving in that office during the years 1915-18 inclusive. In 1924 he was elected County Tax Collector and again was re-elected in 1926. Mr. Raper has a wide acquaintanceship over our county.

Ben N. Wheeler of Merkel, Texas, is spending a few days in McKinney, the guest of his cousin, T. R. Wheeler, of this city. He arrived Tuesday. Mr. Wheeler lived in this county in 1917-18, and it is like coming back home to him when he visits Collin. We appreciate a visit from him Friday. Mr. Wheeler informed us that they are in need of a rain in his section of the state as well as here. He doesn't believe, however, that they need rain as much as we do in this section. The feed crops in that section, he says, are showing need of rain but are not suffering so greatly now, standing up fairly well considering the drouth they are going through. We enjoyed making Mr. Wheeler's acquaintance.

Waide Timmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Timmons of the Blythe's Chapel community, is using the advertising columns of these papers to announce the opening of his novelty and specialty shop in the Metz building with E. B. Dixon, plumber, on West Virginia street. Mr. Timmons is a graduate of the McKinney High school, specializing in manual training. He is an expert in all kinds of woodwork and furniture making, upholstering and repairing. He will be glad to talk with anyone in this city and community in regard to making or repairing any kind of furniture, novelty or specialty. This young business man has his shop equipped with the latest machinery and he invites his many friends to call by and see him in his new location. Refer to his advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

Bob Worsham of Dallas was greeting friends here Thursday night, coming up to attend the chicken feed given by the McKinney Volunteer Fire department. Bob worked for the city of McKinney as Chief Engineer for some twenty-five years. Moved to Dallas, eighteen years ago, and has been chief engineer of the Southland Ice Company in that city ever since. He is a son of Kelley Worsham, long gone to his reward. Kelley Worsham worked for the city of McKinney for a third of a century. Bob Worsham has one son, Leroy, 33, who is a teller of the National Bank of Commerce, in Dallas. While living here, Bob was Consul Commander of Magnolia Camp W. O. W. No. 431 for ten years. Mr. and Mrs. Worsham own as nice home, 519 Hollowood street, Dallas. Both are in excellent health. No man ever lived in McKinney who had more friends than Bob Worsham. Naturally, he dropped by to see us as he should have done.

REPUBLICANS HOLD COUNTY CONVENTION

Republicans of Collin county held a well attended county convention here Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the City hall.

J. Tilford Shaw of Anna was elected temporary chairman. J. R. Lindsey, who resides west of town, was re-elected county chairman. He was ill, however, and unable to attend Saturday's meeting.

B. A. Marcom of this city was elected secretary. The meeting was harmonious throughout. Six delegates and six alternates were elected to the state convention in Houston, September 11.

The six delegates are: R. E. Carmack, Farmersville; Henry Baccus, Frisco; J. Tilford Shaw, Anna; Byron Griffin, I. R. Dillow and Wallace C. Wilson of McKinney.

Alternates elected were: W. H. Wright of Plano, J. W. Rasor and O. L. Cantrell of Frisco, and Will H. Love, B. A. Marcom and Dr. D. E. Bridgefarmer of McKinney.

At the meeting, resolutions were adopted commending the State Republican organization. R. B. Creager, National Committeeman.

Resolutions were also adopted endorsing E. C. Toothman of Dallas, director of the organization of the state, and Chas. A. Duck, State Executive Committeeman.

The Collin County delegation was instructed to vote for Mr. Duck for the office of Congressional chairman.

Mrs. J. M. Morton and daughter, Miss Frances, Mr. and Mrs. John Measley and little son, all of Wichita Falls, are guests of Mrs. Morton's mother, Mrs. R. H. Chandler and family in this city for several days.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 3, 1909.)

John H. Mallow, Melissa farmer, is in town today.

Walker Rambo has returned from a few days recreation at Sulphur, Oklahoma.

J. W. Burton and wife have returned from a visit to their old home in the state of Tennessee.

Tom Chambliss has taken charge of the former hack and transfer line of Harry White & Co. See his advertisement in this paper.

D. C. Hill & Son are erecting a large mule barn, 50x180 feet on a vacant lot on East Louisiana street, just east of the J. M. Wilcox & Son Lumber yard.

Uncle Tom Cooper brought three fine Chinese Cling peaches to this office today that weighed three-and-a-half pounds. He has three trees heavily loaded with this luscious fruit.

Capt. Tuck Hill is having his residence on West Virginia street re-roofed, repainted and repapered. His old roof has been doing service for thirty years. He is having his new roof painted which he hopes will help serve it for maybe a hundred years to come.

G. F. (Frank) Mathews of near Allen was in town today walking by the aid of crutches. In an accident on the farm of Henry Brown, a mile and a half southeast of Allen, he suffered a broken leg. The accident occurred while he was moving his thresher.

COTTON PICK SACKS FOR SALE

9 Ft. Heavy Duck Sack Only $1.25

Heavy Leather Knee Pads Only 75c

Good Heavy Knee Pads Only 50c

200 Lb. size best cotton scale only $2.25

Low prices on Wagon Sheets and Tarpolions.

See us for all your household needs.

We meet mail order prices on same class of merchandise.

A. D. HOPE & SONS
McKinney
Hardware, Furniture,
Wall Paper and Paint

UNCLE SAM PLANS GREAT TREE PLANTING PROJECT ACROSS NATION

SHELTER BELT WILL EXTEND FROM CANADIAN BORDER ACROSS STATES OF NORTH AND SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, OKLAHOMA INTO TEXAS PANHANDLE—HARD FIGHT AGAINST DROUGHTS, SWEEPING WINDS, FLOOD WATERS AND SOIL EROSION.

An immediate beginning on an experiment in climate control that will bisect the Midwestern drought area with a belt of trees 100 miles wide and over 1,000 miles long has been decided upon by the government.

An executive order, signed by President Roosevelt July 11, allocated $15,000,000 of emergency funds for preliminary work on the project.

Federal authorities have had the venture under consideration for some time. Meanwhile, the drought has been growing progressively worse. Secretary Wallace announced recently that now is the time to begin.

"This will be the largest project ever undertaken in this country to modify climate and other agricultural conditions in an area that is now constantly harassed by winds and drought," F. A. Silcox, chief of Forest Service, said.

Here are the salient features of the plan:

The shelter belt will extend from the Canadian border to the Texas Panhandle through North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, and Oklahoma.

The cost is estimated at $75,000,000.

Windbreaks about 100 feet wide, running north and south, will be planted about 1 mile apart over the 100-mile belt. There will be approximately 100 parallel lines of trees.

The area included will be about 20,000,000 acres, of which approximately 1,820,000 will be planted to trees.

Planting on a major scale is to begin by 1936 and to proceed at the rate of about 180,000 acres per year. Completion is looked for by 1944.

Officials said the land to be used would be acquired by the Government through purchase, lease, or cooperative agreement with farmers. The areas between the strips of trees will remain in private ownership.

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Authorizes Spending $10,000,000.

Secretary Wallace authorized the Forest Service to make expenditure up to $10,000,000 to start the work. Other funds will be advanced as needed.

Silcox said it was unlikely any trees would be planted this year, but considerable preliminary work in preparing the ground, building fences, and gathering seed would be done this summer and fall.

Approximately 90 per cent of the money to be spent will be paid to farmers, largely for employment in plowing, fencing, planting, and caring for trees. Silcox estimated that approximately 25 per cent of the total fund would be spent during the next 12 to 18 months.

"The Great Plains have been suffering acutely from prolonged drought," Silcox said. "The economic and social consequences are extremely serious.

"Man can not change all the forces of weather, but he can modify his own surroundings. He can ameliorate the effects of weather on a large scale, just as he can around his own home.

"If the surface velocity of the wind over a wide area can be broken and decreased even slightly, soil will be held in place, the moisture of the soil will be conserved, and havens of shelter will be created for man, beast, and bird.

"This plan aims at permanent benefit and protection of the Great Plains belt and east of it."

J. C. Copeland Honored On His 80th Birthday

J. C. Copeland of this city was honored on Sunday, August 5, with a birthday dinner at his residence, corner North Waddill and West Virginia street. The delicious dinner was served by Mr. and Mrs. Copeland's two daughters, Miss Lola Copeland, county treasurer-elect and Miss Wilma Copeland. The occasion was Mr. Copeland's 80th birthday.

Those present, beside Mr. and Mrs. Copeland and daughters, were M. L. Copeland, wife and children; Mrs. Russell and son, Bradford Russell and family, of Clearlake; Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Airhart and Mr. and Mrs. John Sellers, all of McKinney. A number of friends called during the afternoon to offer felicitations to Mr. Copeland on this happy birthday anniversary occasion.

THE PEOPLES' CLEARING HOUSE

The Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette will print short timely communications that are acceptable. They must be free from personal abuse and libel. Authors' must sign their names. The views expressed here in are the writer's—not these editors. Space is limited. This column will be called: "The Peoples' Clearing House."

VETERAN'S COMPENSATION

The following statement from President Roosevelt, relative to legislation for war veterans, has been given much publicity by the daily press:

"It is a simple and undeniable fact that the United States in terms of compensation and hospitalization, has done, and is doing, infinitely more for our veterans than any other Government."

Then about the same time the Congressional Record gives out the following data regarding the matter: "Per $1,000 of national wealth possessed by the United States, our Government spends $1.39 annually for the benefit of war veterans in all its phases. On the same basis Great Britain spends $1.93; Canada, $2.03; Italy $2.74; France, $5.64, and Germany, $6.22."

Again the Chief Executive is quoted as saying that the increase that Congress recently granted to veterans of all wars amounted to the sum of $228,000,000, while the veterans' administration gives facts in the columns of the National Tribune to the effect that said increase amounted to less than $100,000,000. It is indeed unfortunate that such false propaganda against stricken war veterans should originate at the White House and be passed into every nook and corner of our land in order to deceive the people. Why not tell the truth on ex-soldiers the same as our bank bandits?

Then again, as soon as Congress voted this little mite back in to us, the head of the National Economy League came out in all the big dailies and makes a proud boost to the effect that they will get back at us, by having us removed from the pension rolls altogether.

Of course, we old broken down ex-service men are grateful for the small pittance that has been returned to us, still it is by no means sufficient, since the cost of our living has increased 100 per cent and more. However, the thing that hurts most of all is the very thought that the country that we honored and served could be so ungrateful as to strike us down in our darkest hour.

JEFF REYNOLDS.
Sherman, Texas.

Shall We Cintinue In Sin, That Grace May Abound—God Forbid!

Romans, 6:1.—Let us retrace our steps and clear the deck of the law that was intended to control the license and sale of whiskey.

I am aware of the fact that the politician, the criminal lawyer and the whiskey monoply will all oppose such a move. But, blot out the license law against this accursed evil, and you take from designing parties their most powerful weapon against a civil government.

You not only do this, but you put out of business both the moonshiner and the bootlegger.

What will the great whiskey moguls do in competition with the little fellow, who can distill at will his corn and other substances, and sell it to his neighbors at fifty cents a gallon.

You say, "Can this be done?" What has been done, can be done again if you will only give it a chance.

Now let us begin at the base of all civil government, and see to it that the men we put in office, from Constable to President, are men who have integrity, who cannot be swayed by politicians or bribery.

I remember hearing Col. S— say all men have their price, and just put enough down and you can bu any of them. That Fall he came out for the United States Senate, but he did not get there. A little later, a very intelligent minister went wild on the Greenback party, and went to the State Senate, but came home a confirmed moral wreck. Why? He had no moral stamina.

It is a sad fact that in our Unit States capital, there are more pitfalls and snares to catch the wavering man than in any other place in our land.

Let a man stand on principle and not on public sentiment.

In my eighty-eighth year, I personally may never see the desired reform come about.

S. W. MILLER.
Frisco, Texas.

M'KINNEY HIGH SCHOOL BOY WRITING THESIS

Prof. Waldron Cooley and wife, Route 1, Wylie, arrived home Friday from Norman, Oklahoma, where they have been this summer, while he has been finishing up his work on his Master's Degree. Prof. Cooley graduated from the McKinney High school in 1927 and from the University of Oklahoma, at Norman, in 1931, when he was awarded his A. B. Degree. For the past three years he has been teaching at Dump, in Southeast Collin, but has accepted a contract as principal of Lovejoy school, beginning this fall. Prof. Cooley was in McKinney Saturday. This editor was very much interested in renewing his acquaintance and to learn of his progress towards getting his Master's Degree. His thesis for the latter is "The Political Theory of John H. Reagan." This is a most interesting thesis subject on one of the greatest of Southern patriots and statesman—Postmaster General in the Confederate Cabinet under President Jefferson Davis' administration and later United States Senator and Railroad Commissioner of Texas. Nothing except Reagan's Memoirs are in print in book form about him. We are predicting that Prof. Cooley's research for his Master's thesis will result in the production of a meritorious book of biography of this famous Southern statesman. Prof. Cooley in his research on Reagan, plans to make trips this summer to Palestine, Texas, the home and burial place of Reagan and also visit the state capital, at Austin, to do research work. He is now consulting old McKinney newspaper files and scrapbooks on Texas history.

Mrs. J. E. Smith and daughter, Miss Mary Blanche, of the Foote community were McKinney visitors Friday. Mrs. Smith is the correspondent of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Deomcrat-Gazette for the Foote community, an excellent farming and livestock raising section of the county.

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(August 2, 1909.)

Mrs. R. L. Ray and Miss Lena Thompson are visiting friends in Fort Worth today.

Prof. W. L. Yarbrough is at home after a few days spent on business in Fannin county.

Dr. B. F. Spencer is here from Weston today—good physician and a true Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson of Prosper have been entertaining with a house party for a few days.

Charley Cook, a hustling young Wylie cattleman, spent Sunday in McKinney visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Cook.

Mrs. Jas. H. Warden and baby of Yoakum, who have been visiting her parents, in McKinney, for a few days, have gone to Oklahoma City to visit Mr. and Mrs. Todd Warden.

Judge Tom J. Brown of Austin contributes $100 cash to help boost the Gov. J. W. Throckmorton monument to be erected on the McKinney Public square; J. M. Wilcox, veteran McKinney lumberman, contributes $50.00; Mayor J. L. Doggett, $25 cash

California Visitors Think Texas Fortunate

J. H. (Holly) Monk, a Midway farmer about twelve miles east of McKinney, was in town Saturday. He states that like every other community his section is badly in need of rain, but in his opinion cotton in his immediate neighborhood is holding up better through this scorching heat and prolonged drouth than any other part of the county. His brother, Silas H. Monk, lives in the same community. Two nephews of the Monk brothers, and their families, are visiting them from Los Angeles, California. Their names are Flann Monk and William McCullough. Their wives and children are with them. They drove the long distance from California to their old home here in Collin, in a big Dodge car. They came around by Salt Lake City, Utah. In the long journey they did not see any farming country that will anything like compare with this part of North Texas and especially Collin county. Crops are better here and apparently people are suffering less from the depression and general labor and business handicaps than anywhere else that they visited.

Funeral Held For Baby Daughter

Largely attended funeral services for Imma Jewel Ellis were held at the South Wilsox Street Methodist church Friday afternoon, August 3, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. G. C. Ford conducted the services.

The deceased was born February 12, 1933, being 1 year, 5 months and 21 days old at the time of her death. The baby is survived by its heartbroken parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Ellis, its grandparents on both sides, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Peel, its great-grandmother, Mrs. Betty Tague and several uncles and aunts.

Imma Jewell was laid to rest in Pecan Grove cemetery under a beautiful mound of rosebuds. The Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home had charge of the funeral arrangements.

CLARENCE FURR RENTS GOOD FARM AT RHEA'S MILL

Clarence Furr, who has lived for the past eight or ten years on a portion of the Rhea land at Rhea's Mill, has rented the excellent home place of R. L. Horn, just west of Rhea Mills school, and will move on same about the first of the year and run it in the future.

Clarence is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Furr, who have lived in the old J. C. Rhea home farm for the past nineteen years. The R. L. Horn farm of about one hundred and seventy-five acres is one of the best places in that section of West Collin. Mr. and Mrs. Horn have lived in McKinney several years during which period they have been operating the R. L. Horn suburban brick store on North Waddill street. Clarence Furr is the younger brother of Rufus A. Furr and Jason Furr, two McKinney business men and also a brother of Mrs. Kali Woods, whose husband owns and operates the Woods' Cafe in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harding, Mrs. W. W. McDowell and Miss Mattie White, accompanied by Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian church, returned Thursday evening to their homes in McKinney after a short vacation trip to New Mexico. The trip took them through many interesting points, their destination being the famous Carlsbad Cavern, which they thoroughly enjoyed. Dr. Weaver says it is the greatest and most interesting place of natural beauty that it has ever been his pleasure to visit. The party made good time on the return trip home, leaving Roswell, New Mexico, at 7:45 o'clock Thursday morning and arriving in McKinney, 550 miles distant, at 11:25 o'clock that night.

A fine, big barn on the Ed Cashon place, about ten miles west of McKinney, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin about 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon. The barn, including a large amount of oats, hay and harness contained therein, was a total loss. However, no animals were destroyed, the loyal neighbors of Mr. Cashon helping him in retrieving his hogs from the burning barn and saving them. The barn was in excellent shape being a part of the fine Cashon farm, which contains a large amount of land and good improvements as well as a great amount of livestock. The loss was covered by insurance.

Z. L. Ferrell of Longview, who since 1919 has been away from McKinney, is on a visit here, bringing his wife to the McKinney City hospital where she submitted to a major operation Monday morning. She is resting as well as could be expected. The operation was performed by Dr. W. S. Wysong of this city. Mr. Ferrell resides in the heart of the oil fields at Greggton, a suburb of Longview. We appreciate a friendly visit from him.

Avery Dowell, head of the J. P. Dowell Hardware establishment, and R. G. McCain of the same concern, left Monday on a business trip to Amarillo.

JAS. V. ALLRED OPENS RUN-OFF CAMPAIGN

Attorney General James V. Allred opened his run-off campaign for the governorship of Texas in a speech at Farmersville in East Collin Monday night, attended by large delegations from all over the county, as well as from Hunt, Grayson and Dallas counties.

The young attorney general, who led in the first primary, carrying 117 counties of the state, was apparently in the best of health, in good form and with his old-time speaking power at its height after a few days' rest. He was heard by a large and responsive crowd estimated at 2,500 to 3,000.

'Jimmie,'' as he is known to thousands of friends and supporters all over the state, was introduced by Hon. W. P. (Billy) Abernathy, prominent young McKinney lawyer and civic leader, who praised him highly and who announced that the attorney general was his choice for governor after a careful consideration of all candidates, their records and platforms.

Editor M. B. Smith of the Farmersville Times, chairman of the Arrangements Committee and a strong Allred supporter, presided, introducing Hon. Albert Sidney Johinston of Dallas, prominent young attorney of statewide reputation and former secretary of the State Democratic Executive committee who made a short address, introducing in turn Col. R. E. L. Knight, prominent Dallas attorney and orator and a former Maury Hughes supporter and former Lieutenant-Governor T. W. Davidson of Dallas, both of whom lauded the speaker of the evening highly.

"Economic security is our greatest need," declared Allred. To obtain that security, the Attorney General urged industrial development in Texas to absorb the unemployed; advancement of home ownership; unabated construction of modern highways; planned State conservation; fair wages and decent working conditions, fair taxation laws to relieve farmers of "a crushing burden of debt," adequate regulation of utilities; strict regulation of lobbying before the Legislature, and a balanced budget.

"My oil man opponent (Tom F. Hunter of Wichita Falls) says he is going to abolish the State ad valorem tax on real estate, and he has the impudence to contend that this will relieve the masses of the people.

"If this candidate is intelligent enough to be Governor, he ought to know that a substantial portion of the State ad valorem comes from oil wells and leases, sulphur domes and utility properties. Yet this candidate would relieve the poor by taking these burdens off the rich oil companies, the sulphur companies and the public utilities. Many large properties in Texas are owned by loan corporations and he wants to relieve them from ad valorem taxes.

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Demagogic Appeal.

"What a demogagic appeal for the votes of the uninformed. It sounds appealing to say 'we will do away with all State taxes on real estate,' but when the proposition is analyzed, we find that if my opponent's scheme is carried out the big corporations will be chuckling up their sleeves while the load is shifted by some sort of 'blended tax' onto the backs of the poor."

"The people are entitled to taxation relief. They are going to get it. It will require time, thought and hard work. The most intelligent approach to taxation relief is to adopt the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to classify property for taxation purposes and thereby place upon the rolls, not only for the State but for local units of Government as well, millions of dollars worth of property now escaping taxation."

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Some Prominent Supporters.

Among the prominent visitors present were Editor D. R. Huffaker of the Whitesboro Record-News; Col. R. E. L. Knight, prominent Dallas attorney; former Lieutenant-Governor T. W. (Whit) Davidson of Dallas and Albert Sidney Johnson also of Dallas and Judge Escar Floyd of Dallas.

The Greenville High school band rendered a concert preceding the speaking, which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Allred expects to be back in this section of North Texas during the latter days of the campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson son, Page, have returned from a three weeks' vacation spent in Colorado and Oklahoma. They spent two weeks in Colorado, visiting in Lake City, Carpenter's Ranch, Colorado Springs, Denver and other points of interest. They spent the third week of their vacation with their son and brother, Marion Johnson at Ponca City, Oklahoma.

James Williams, of Farmersville, has gone to New London, Connecticut, where he will enter the Coast Guard Academy for a four-year course. Williams, a member of the junior class at Texas university, was one of the two Texas boys who won scholarships in the academy because of their high standing in the entrance examinations. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Williams of Farmersville and is a graduate of the Farmersville High school.

SURPLUS CATTLE PURCHASED BY FEDERAL AGENTS

Up to the present time, the Federal government has bought through the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation some 300,000 head of cattle in Texas, it was announced by C. Z. Crain, head of the surplus commodities distribution department of the Texas Relief Commission.

It has been described as the greatest movement of cattle since ranchmen drove their herds up the old Chisholm Trail to Abilene, Kan.

From all directions come the herds, preceded by a cloud of dust in the distance that announces their coming to the government pens.

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In 192 Counties.

The cattle-buying program is being carried on in the 192 emergency drouth counties of Texas at the rate of 20,000 herd per day. One of the chief concentration points is La Salle county, where trainloads of from forty to sixty cars have been moving daily for some time. In Frio county, Crain said, some $288,000 worth of cattle have been bought by the government.

The herds are paid for as follows:

For 1-year-olds and over, $12 to $20; for 1 to 2-year-olds, $10 to $15; for calves and up one year, $3 to $8.

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Large Portion Shipped.

Of the 20,000 head bought daily, some 12,000 are shipped away. The 8,000 remaining are kept in the Federal pens or are turned into pastures. Of those shipped, about 2,200 go to the nineteen government canneries scattered over the State, where they are put up for relief clients. The remainder go to various slaughtering plants over the United States.

Canning plants in Texas are located at Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Beaumont, Big Spring, Brownsville, Bryan, Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston, Lubbock, Paris, Port Arthur, San Angelo, San Antonio Waco, Wichita Falls and Orange.

The Federal Surplus Relief Corporation will not receive or receipt for any cattle unless they are tick-free and made ready by the owner for interstate shipment Crain said.

Chas. Raymond Smith of Austin, but formerly of McKinney, now a junior in Texas university, has just returned home after spending a few days with friends and relatives in this city. Charles Raymond, who is the son of Mrs. Pearl Smith, has just returned from a vacation trip with his mother and sisters, Misses Theo and Mabel, to Wyoming, Colorado and other points in that section, including Estes park. He is a former resident of this city, being a graduate of McKinney High school and well-known and liked here.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Moses Hubbard estate, which comprises a large tract of land willed by Dr. Moses Hubbard to the Alla Hubbard school, F. S. Finley, who had served as trustee of the estate for about twenty-eight years, tendered his resignation. In his stead, his son, Carl Finley, was elected.—Celina Record.

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